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COMMISSIONERS BATTLE OVER AUTO ORDINANCE

MEASURE IS FINALLY PASSED
AFTER CONSIDERABLE
ELIMINATION.

FOUR SECTIONS ARE LEFT OUT

Autos May Stand in Streets and May
Turn Around in Middle of Block
— Local Improvement Ordinance
Passed.

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID.

Passed Gannon's automobile ordinance after eliminating sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, which provided that no automobile or motor vehicle should be allowed to stand on First street between Galena and Peoria avenues, prohibiting them from turning around in the middle of a block or backing out of any alley or street, and the penalties for violation of these features.

Passed local improvement ordinance No. 137, series of 1912, which provides for sewer on East Fellows street.

Commissioner Gannon's automobile ordinance, which has been the storm center in municipal affairs for two weeks, was passed by the council last night, but not until four sections had been stricken from the measure, much to Mr. Gannon's disgust, who voted against the passage of the changed ordinance, explaining that it certainly was not his measure after his colleagues got through with it.

When the measure was brought up several changes were suggested, but the father of the ordinance protested that no amendments could be made until it was brought officially before the council, whereupon he moved its passage as read. Mayor Brinton seconded, and that each of the opposing commissioners should state his views. Mr. Schuler got the floor and expressed his belief that if the ordinance was passed the city would have to start a school of instruction to teach auto owners how to run their cars. Mayor Brinton stated his position by the assertion that for every man who owns an auto in Dixon there are 100 that do not, and he believed in protecting them all.

Strike Out Sections.

Commissioner Schmidt moved to amend the ordinance by striking out sections 5 and 6, which provided that no auto should stand on First street between Peoria and Galena avenues. He was seconded by Commissioner Van Bibber. Before the vote was taken, however, Commissioner Gannon moved to amend the amendment by limiting the time machines could stand on the street in question to one hour, in compliance with the state law. Mayor Brinton seconded Gannon's motion, but it was lost, 3 to 2, the vote being:

Yes—Gannon, Brinton.

No—Schmidt, Schuler, Van Bibber.

The vote on Commissioner Henry Schmidt's proposition to strike out the two sections carried by the same vote, the lineup remaining intact.

Van Bibber Uses Knife.

Then Commissioner Van Bibber used the pruning knife, and moved to cut out sections 7 and 8, which provided that autos should not turn around in the middle of a block nor should the back out of any street or alley. Mayor Brinton seconded the motion and here Father Gannon suggested that they bury the whole ordinance after taking out the most vital parts of it. Commissioner Schuler voted with Gannon against striking out those two sections. The other three commissioners voted in favor of the elimination. At this stage of the proceedings Commissioner Gannon characterized the council's actions as a "joke," and Mr. Schuler said the whole ordinance was a joke. When the vote was taken on the whole ordinance as it was left Commissioners Brinton, Schmidt and Van Bibber voted in favor of its passage, Messrs. Gannon and Schuler voting "no."

Its Provisions.

As soon as the ordinance is pub-

MRS. KATE LOWERBY



Mrs. Lowerby, a talented English authoress, is expected to visit America soon to witness the first performance of her latest play, "Rutherford & Son."

lished it will become effective, and hereafter auto drivers in the city will be under the following provisions:

No machine will be allowed to run in the city unless equipped with suitable muffler, and it shall be unlawful to operate the cars with mufflers cut out.

All autos or motor vehicles must stop when approaching a street car which is receiving or discharging passengers.

All motor vehicles must keep to the right when making turns in the city.

All motor vehicles must carry suitable lights from sunset to one hour before sunrise.

The machinery of any motor vehicle shall not be left running while the car is stopped unless there is an attendant in the car.

All motor vehicles must be provided with suitable brakes and horns, but it shall be unlawful to use any freak horn or signalling device in the city.

Owners and drivers of cars must give information as to their identity and the ownership of the car to any person that may be injured or to witness of accident who asks for same.

Pass Another Ordinance.

The council, however, passed one ordinance without any discussion or dissension. The measure in question which met such a cordial reception was local improvement ordinance No. 137, which provides for a vitrified tile sewer on Fellows street.

HOOPHOLE BANK VAULTS BLOWN

YEGGMEN GET NO MONEY—PRESIDENT OF BANK I. B. DONALDSON FORMER DIXONITE.

Hoopole, Ill., Sept. 24—Special to Telegraph—The bank in this city was entered last night by yeggmens who made a desperate and nearly successful attempt to make away with a considerable quantity of cash that was in the vaults of the institution.

The outside door of the big vault was blown from its hinges by the explosion but further depredations on the part of the robbers were interrupted by the activity of a night watchman on the outside who frightened them away. It is thought that the men were green in the business, from the way they went at the job. They stole tools from a nearby black smith shop with which to work. They were seen to leave town in an automobile directly after the discovery, traveling north.

Dixon—The sheriff of Whiteside county notified Sheriff Reid of Lee county today to be on the lookout for the men, for it was thought they came through this section. The president of the Hoopole bank is I. B. Donaldson, a former resident of Dixon and an uncle of Mrs. Clarence Reid.

Mrs. Florence Blake will return this evening from a visit in Chicago.

STARS AND STERLING MAY PLAY RUBBER

LOCAL TEAM OFFERS TO ENGAGE IN DECIDING GAME OF THE SERIES.

GAME MUST BE ON NEUTRAL GROUND

Stars Insist That Game Be Played in Morrison or Rochelle—If Challenge Is Not Accepted Season Is at An End.

Unless the management of the Sterling West Ends, whom the Dixon Stars defeated Sunday, agree to the proposition of the locals to play the tie off either at Morrison or Rochelle, the local baseball season, as far as the Stars are concerned, is finished.

The management of the Stars announced last evening that no more games would be booked, as the weather is too uncertain and the boys, who have given Dixon its only baseball this year and whose article of the national pastime has been most creditable, will devote all their activities toward boosting their annual fair, which will be the big thing the week of Oct. 21-26. A meeting of the members of the team will be held at Eli's tomorrow evening at 7:30 to make preliminary arrangements for the event.

Want Third Game.

However, the Stars are perfectly willing, in fact they are anxious, to meet the West Ends in a third and deciding game. The series now stands a win for each team, each victory being by a 4 to 3 score. The Stars, however, insist that the third game, if it is arranged, must be played on neutral ground and have suggested that Rochelle or Morrison be selected. The proposition is now in the hands of the Sterling management, from whom an answer is expected this week.

SMALL BLAZE IN NORTH DIXON

ROY JONES HOME WAS SCENE OF A LITTLE EXCITEMENT THIS MORNING.

The fire department was called to the home of Sigle Jones, 710 North Galena avenue, at 8:30 this morning to extinguish a small blaze, which had started in a mattress in an upstairs bedroom. The origin of the fire is unknown. Fortunately it was extinguished before any serious damage resulted.

PULL BIG PIKE FROM ROCK RIVER

LOCAL FISHERMEN ARE HAVING GOOD LUCK WITH POLE AND LINE.

Amos Elliott last evening caught a 4-pound wall eyed pike at the mill. The fish is a beauty and was on display in the window of the Messer Tea store. This morning early Lyle Messer caught another pike, almost as large as Mr. Elliott's prize, and a smaller fish, also a pike, making three such beauties as would gladden the eyes of Isaac Walton, were that gentleman now on earth.

Hence, the rusa for the river, many of our citizens being imbued with the thought to go and do likewise, upon witnessing the success evidenced by Mr. Elliott and Lyle Messer.

FRANKLIN GROVE

WILL HAVE A BAND Prof. Will Smith will go to Franklin Grove this evening to take charge of a band there which he will tutor for the coming year. Prof. Smith says there is good material for a band at Franklin, and it is needless to say, he can do the rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stucker and daughter of Winona, Ill., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Katherine Fuestman, have returned home.

FARMER NEAR LEE KILLED YESTERDAY

CHARLES EDEN HAD HIS NECK BROKEN WHEN THROWN FROM WAGON.

WAGON TONGUE DROPPED; HORSES RAN

Was Driving to Lee for Coal—Alone When Accident Happened—Wife and Four Children Survive.

Lee, Ill., Sept. 24—Special to Telegraph—Charles Eden, a well to do farmer who was widely known in this vicinity and who resided about three-quarters of a mile northwest of Lee, met death in a tragic manner yesterday afternoon when, as the result of an accident to his wagon, he was thrown to the ground and his neck was broken.

Mr. Eden was driving a team and wagon into Lee to get a load of coal. He was alone and therefore the exact details of the death are unknown but it was very evident from the appearance of things that the tongue of his wagon dropped and his team started to run. The tongue was driven into the ground and the rear end of it was driven back into the wagon, throwing it and the driver into the air. He struck the ground head first, breaking his spinal column at this point, death being instantaneous.

Charles Eden was 40 years old. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and four children, all at home with the exception of one daughter, Beatrice, who is away at school. She has been sent for.

The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon from the South West Lutheran church, Rev. Borge officiating.

OWEN HARRITY DIED THIS MORNING

AGED PIONEER PASSED AWAY AT HOME OF DAUGHTER, MRS. JOHN HOGAN.

LIVED MANY YEARS IN AMBOY

Born in '25 in County Armagh, Ireland—Married Amboy Girl—Funeral Thursday Morning—Interment at Oakwood.

Owen Harrity, one of Amboy's early settlers, died at 4:15 a. m. today at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John C. Hogan, 813 West Fifth street, this city, death being due to the infirmities of old age. The funeral will be held from the house at 9:30 a. m. Thursday and at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock, Father Foley officiating. Burial will be at Oakwood.

The deceased was born in the county Armagh, Ireland, Feb. 2, 1825. He came to this country in 1855 and spent the first seven years of his residence here in the eastern and southern states. During the second year of the civil war he came north and settled at Amboy, where he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Dowdall, who preceded him in death six years ago. Since Mrs. Harrity's death he has resided with his only child, Mrs. Hogan who, with four grandchildren survive and mourn his death. The condolence of many friends is extended.

ORGANIZES BOYS' CLUB.

Dr. Crissman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, yesterday afternoon organized a Boys' club to be an auxiliary of the church, which will meet fortnightly. The charter membership is very encouraging to the pastor and he anticipates a successful organization.

POULTRYMEN MEET.

The Dixon Poultry association will meet tomorrow evening at Youngman's coal office. A full attendance is desired as there will be business of importance.

CONG. M'KENZIE DOES MUCH FOR DIXON

OUR POPULAR CONGRESSMAN WILL STOCK RIVER WITH BLACK BASS.

FISH WILL BE HERE IN 20 DAYS

Car of Large and Small Mouthed Black Bass Being Sent to Local Fish Club for River Here by Representative to Washington From This District—Many Thanks Are Due Him.

The efforts of the Dixon Fish club to secure some small and large mouthed black bass for stocking Rock river, to which end the club officials have been working all summer, have brought results, for as a result of their instigation Congressman John C. McKenzie took the matter up personally with the bureau of Commerce and Labor with the result shown in the following letter, which the congressman has sent to Dixon: Department of Commerce and Labor, Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, September 18, 1912.

Hon. John C. McKenzie,

Elizabeth, Illinois.

My Dear Mr. McKenzie:

In reply to your letter of Sept. 18, it will give me pleasure to direct that consignments of large and small mouth black bass be furnished to the Dixon Fish club of Dixon, Ill. The demand for these species far exceeds the supply, but in compliance with your request the allotments will be made as liberal as possible. It is planned to deliver the fish within the next 20 days.

Yours very truly,
GEORGE M. FLOWERS,
Commissioner of Fisheries
Credit to Mr. McKenzie.

The officers of the Fish club give the credit for the success of their efforts to Mr. McKenzie for, as the letter shows, his personal and insistent efforts show that he is on the job for his constituents.

As a result of this message the Fish club will hold a meeting tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at Staples' undertaking rooms, when they will make arrangements to meet the government fish car, which will stop here. A reception committee will be formed and the Fish club proposes to make it a gala occasion, for the species of fish with which the river will be stocked are a kind which the true lovers of the sport have wanted in the stream for many years.

COLLEGE TO HAVE GOOD FOOTBALL TEAM

LOCAL VARSITY TEAM HAD ITS FIRST WORKOUT YESTERDAY—THEY LOOK GOOD.

The first workout of the Dixon college football team was held yesterday at Athletic park under the supervision of Coach Fingal, and Mr. Fingal and President Edwards, after watching the first trials and the calibre of the men, both expressed their belief that this year's team will be the best the college has had for many seasons. Several good games have been scheduled and yesterday an invitation from the St. Louis university was received, asking for a game with the Dixon aggregation.

CROPS IN DAKOTA IN FINE CONDITION

Wm. Leivan of Palmyra has returned from a visit at Brookings, S. D., where he visited his nephews and John Miller at Lake Preston. Mr. Leivan states that the crops are in excellent condition.

TO RETURN SOON.

C. H. Keyes writes the Telegraph from Worcester, Mass., that he is greatly enjoying his tour through the east. He will be in Boston next week and will start for home soon after.

Mrs. Baird of DeKalb is visiting relatives here.

FRED W. CARPENTER



Fred W. Carpenter, formerly secretary to President Taft, and now minister to Morocco, has been appointed minister to Siam in place of Hamilton King, who died recently.

JAS. DOOLEY FUNERAL WILL BE WEDNESDAY

RESPECTED RESIDENT OF LEE COUNTY FOR OVER HALF CENTURY—INTERMENT IN AMBOY

The funeral of the venerable James Dooley, who died at the Dixon hospital Monday afternoon from injuries received in a fall from the sidewalk at the north side I. C. viaduct Friday evening, will be held tomorrow at 8:45 a. m. from the home and 9:45 at St. Patrick's church, after which the remains will be taken to Amboy for interment, many years of the life of the deceased having been spent in that city. The deceased's home in Dixon was on Lord's Hill on the Sterling road, just west of the city.

James Dooley was born in County Limerick, Ireland, 77 years ago. He came to America when 16 years old and after spending about five years in various parts of the country, settled down in Lee county, where he has lived for the past 56 years. At the age of 32 he was married to Katherine Cranier in Amboy. His wife preceded him in death about 30 years ago.

Two sons and two daughters are the only relatives left to mourn the father's death. They are James P. Clinton, Ill.; John H. San Francisco; Mrs. Clarence Harvey, Dixon, and Miss Nellie Dooley of Dixon.

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DR. S.M. GREEN WAS IN COURT THIS A.M.

APPEARED AND GAVE BONDS—MADE NO PLEA—PROBABLY WILL NOT BE ARRAIGNED AT THIS TERM.

JUDGE HEARD ORDERS \$700 JUDGEMNT

Divorce Granted Today—Jury Secured in Ambloy Liquor Case and Testimony Taken.

Dr. Samuel M. Green of this city, who was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of murder, appeared in court this morning with his attorneys and gave bond to the amount of \$12,500, the sum he was held under by Justice Hanneken. He made no plea this morning and probably will not be arraigned this term. His bond was signed by Henry Lebowich, John Origiesen and Charles McCorry.

Court's Orders.

Before proceeding with the McGovern vs. Hayes et al case, which was started yesterday, Judge Heard issued orders in two cases. He ordered a judgment of \$700 in the case of Edward T. Fane vs. the Mysle Workers of the World, the fraternal organization defaulting, and he also granted a decree of divorce to Daisy Arndt from her husband, Fred A. Arndt.

Jury Secured.

Late yesterday afternoon the following jurors were selected to hear the evidence in the McGovern vs. Hayes et al case, in which Mrs. McGovern is suing the Ambloy liquor men for damages alleged to have been received by her husband while in a state of intoxication from liquor purchased from the defendants: Nathan R. Perkins, L. D. Hemmellway, George Beach, Albert Joder, David Buckhart, George Engle, Bert Kested, Vern Straw, Walter Cromwell, Jeremiah Raymond, A. F. Jewell and John Crawford.

The taking of evidence was commenced and the following witnesses were examined for the plaintiff: Joe Branagan, John Hurley, Charles McGovern, Dr. Sullivan, John Harvey and Hattie McGovern.

DENEEN IN STERLING SEPT. 30.

Sterling, Sept. 24—Gov. Charles S. Deneen, candidate for re-election on the republican ticket, will make two speeches in Whiteside county on Sept. 30. He will speak in Sterling at 3:40 and in Morrison at 4:35 o'clock.

The limitations of your vocabulary binding you down.

Good authority as to the need of education is Director Edward Ryerson of Pittsburg High School. When reorganizing the commercial department of high schools and inaugurating the night school system, he wrote to most of the representative business men of Pittsburg, asking them to co-operate by suggestions as to what subjects of instruction should be given the greatest attention. This is what he reports:

"Of those replying, 75 per cent consider English, including spelling, essential; 58 per cent bookkeeping, 56 per cent penmanship, 28 per cent shorthand," etc., showing that the lamentable lack of English was considered to be deserving of first attention.

Asked what defects they noticed most frequently among their employees the great majority replied that they desired "Better training in spelling, grammar and punctuation."

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Dementtown

We will now sit up and watch the efforts of the officers to stop the "muffler cut-out."

A suggestion: You might look up your last year's snow shovel and see if it is still fit for service.

A nice little "friendly" game should always be looked upon with suspicion.

Now and then you run across an o. f. fellow who wears his spectacles over the top of his head and never can find them.

There is one way of hastening the arrival of kingdom come faster than by sitting on a keg of gunpowder and smoking a pipe, and that is by going out in a canoe with a sail on it.

The average man's will power is as nothing when matched against the average woman's won't power.

The only difference between the beggar and the multi-millionaire is that the beggar is still engaged in making his first million.

There's no use trying to do anything for a fellow who enjoys poor health.

Pat and the Fish.

A stranger, evidently an Irishman entered one of the Dixon restaurants last Friday and the following dialogue took place between Pat and the waiter:

"Have you any swordfish?" asked the patron.

"No."

"Have yez any whale?"

"No."

"Well, have yez any tarpoon?"

"No."

"Then bring me some corn beef and cabbage—God knows I asked for fish."

Her Mistake.

"Mabel, dear," said her mother, gravely, "did George kiss you last

night?"

"Why no, mother, where did you get such an idea?"

"Well, I judged from two or three sounds I heard that he did," answered the mother severely.

"Oh, that was me kissing George," replied the fair young maiden, blushing to the roots of her hair.

LEE NEWS NOTES

Lee, Sept. 24.—Lewis Winterton was in Chicago Tuesday.

Roy Stage, the manager of the Exchange Telephone was in DeKalb Tuesday.

Paul Nordby was in Rochelle Tuesday for dental work.

Henry Husk, the deputy sheriff of Shabbona was in town Wednesday.

Chris Alsager and sister, Anna, were in Chicago a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cutts of Earl-

Ann Cutts.

Curts Downer of Rochelle was a business caller in town Tuesday.

J. E. Johnson and Roy Tilton were passengers to Rochelle Tuesday.

Many of this vicinity attended the circus in Rochelle Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Rissetter were in Chicago during the week.

S. J. Maakestad arrived home on Tuesday from a visit with friends in northern Iowa.

A man came out from Chicago to hunt short bill snipe, we know, his name was Bill Rowe.

Steve Kirby and daughter Tressa have returned from a visit with relatives in Minnesota.

Clyde Grove and son of Chicago, were out to help his father, William Grove of Willow Creek, to celebrate his eightieth birthday anniversary.

E. A. Columbus departed for Min-

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Benson of Radcliffe, Ia., were visiting relatives here and departed Wednesday for home.

Quite a number attended the Ottawa fair during the past week.

Peter Sherman left here Thursday for Arkansas on land interests.

Henry Hillman and family of Gilman, Ill., visited relatives here during the week.

Barney Jacobson and son Jacob, were in DeKalb Wednesday.

Mrs. O. A. Halsne and son were guests of Steward friends Wednesday.

Howard Edwards and T. Oleson, returned to their school at Albin, Wis., Tuesday.

Chris Nelson is in Canada for a few weeks in the interest of his farm there.

Yocum Prestegard departed for Fergus Falls, S. D., last Monday to resume his school work.

Station Agent Lynch sold ninety

tickets for Rochelle Wednesday for the Hagenbeck-Wallace show.

John O'Donnell departed for N. Dakota last Monday to look after his land interests there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arndt went to Rochelle Tuesday evening to spend a day with his parents and attend the show.

Two auto loads of Leclites consisting of G. B. Foster and wife, F. L. Childs and wife, R. G. Nowe and wife, F. A. Bach and wife, C. B. Wrigley and wife and R. Youngman drove to Shabbona Monday evening to attend a farewell reception given by the Masons and Eastern Star lodges to W. T. Dando before his departure.

While driving on Second street last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Peter Williams' horse became frightened and threw them both from the vehicle, injuring both the old people. Mrs. Williams suffered a broken wrist and some bruises. Mr. Williams had no bones broken but felt somewhat crippled.

Mrs. A. M. Cutts, an old resident of this community, 77 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. Chabland at Shabbona Tuesday. She leaves three sons and two daughters: George of Lee, Mrs. Chabland of Shabbona, Mrs. Lizzie Foster of LaCrosse, Robert of Chicago and William in the west, who was not present. Two brothers, Robert and Thomas Wright of Iowa and many grand children, six of whom were pall bearers, survive. The funeral was conducted at the M. E. church of Lee Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. H. Lease officiating.

ST. JAMES.

Sept. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and daughter Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lehman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Patterson and daughters, Clara and Ida formed a party and attended the Amboy fair Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lehman entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller of Nacusa, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lehman of Franklin Grove and Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and daughter at dinner Sunday.

Some of the farmers are cutting off corn.

I venture to say there is no corn in this vicinity any taller than A. Blaine's piece near the house. It is along the road; anyone can see it; and there is corn there, too.

Anyone wanting nice tomatoes can get them at Mrs. Emily Blaine's, red and yellow ones.

Seems like everybody is making kraut as the cabbage heads are bursting and some are decaying.

Quite a few are predicting a frost in the near future. Then we be untie the pumpkins on the vine.

Mrs. Cynthia Gilbert expects to leave Dixon for Denver the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Blaine entertained Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Horner of Dixon and Mrs. Cynthia Gilbert of San Jose, Cal., Sunday.

Ed. Shippert was a caller at A. Blaine's Sunday.

Quite a few people from this vicinity attended the circus in Dixon Friday.

Quite a number attended the fair at Amboy Thursday.

Saturday was the last day for Hubert Bahen to haul milk on our route.

Mrs. Martha Shippert and son Ed went to Dixon Saturday in their auto.

Mrs. Joe Oddy and sister, Sue Pyle, called on Mrs. H. Bahen Thursday.

There are 20 rods at one end and some in the center yet before they are through with the hard roads on the Chicago road.

NELSON.

Sept. 24.—Mrs. F. L. Terwilliger entertained Mrs. Horn of Dixon Friday.

Will Janussen spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

Mrs. H. W. Phillips left Tuesday for Artesian, S. D., to visit relatives.

Jesse Paige of Chicago visited his cousin, F. W. Parks and wife Sunday.

Charles Barton and family, Mrs. Lizzie Lady, Misses Kate Ortgiesen and Louise Portenius were Sunday guests at the John Ortgiesen home.

Mrs. L. M. Hickey, Abbie Pitcher, Lloyd Spencer and Miss Jennie McVay of Dixon, F. H. Hauser and daughter Winnifred of Franklin Grove were entertained at the M. C. Stitzel home Saturday.

The Aid society met with Mrs. Emil Janssen Thursday afternoon and planned work for the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Holleanbeck, south of town Thursday, Oct. 3. Fifteen were present. Light refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. F. W. Parks, who broke her limb some two weeks ago, is able to sit in a chair as the injured member is in a plaster cast.

Harry Rubendall has returned from Rochelle and resumed his position as assistant maintainer of the electric plant.

Miss Grace Worthington of Rock was a Sunday guest at the C. Zanger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Allen of Van Patten called at the H. C. Reid home Sunday.

Rev. Potter preached Sunday afternoon to a good audience. It is desired that a full attendance greet him Oct. 6 as this is the last Sunday of the conference year.

OAK RIDGE NEWS.

Sept. 24.—Most of the people from here attended the big show at Dixon Friday.

Mrs. DeWitt Warner, who has been indisposed the last few weeks, is under a doctor's care.

Mrs. Wilbur Brooke, who is the mother of a young son, is doing very nicely.

John Hamilton and family drove to Dixon Friday in their new automobile.

Mrs. John Young will go to Rockford Tuesday to spend a week with friends.

Horace Griswold and Johnnie Mumma caught some fine catfish on Saturday.

Miss Myra Young drove to Dixon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geerheart are the parents of a baby girl, born on Sept. 19th.

Mr. Myers and family will move to the old Harris place, vacated by Lester Haynes, Monday.

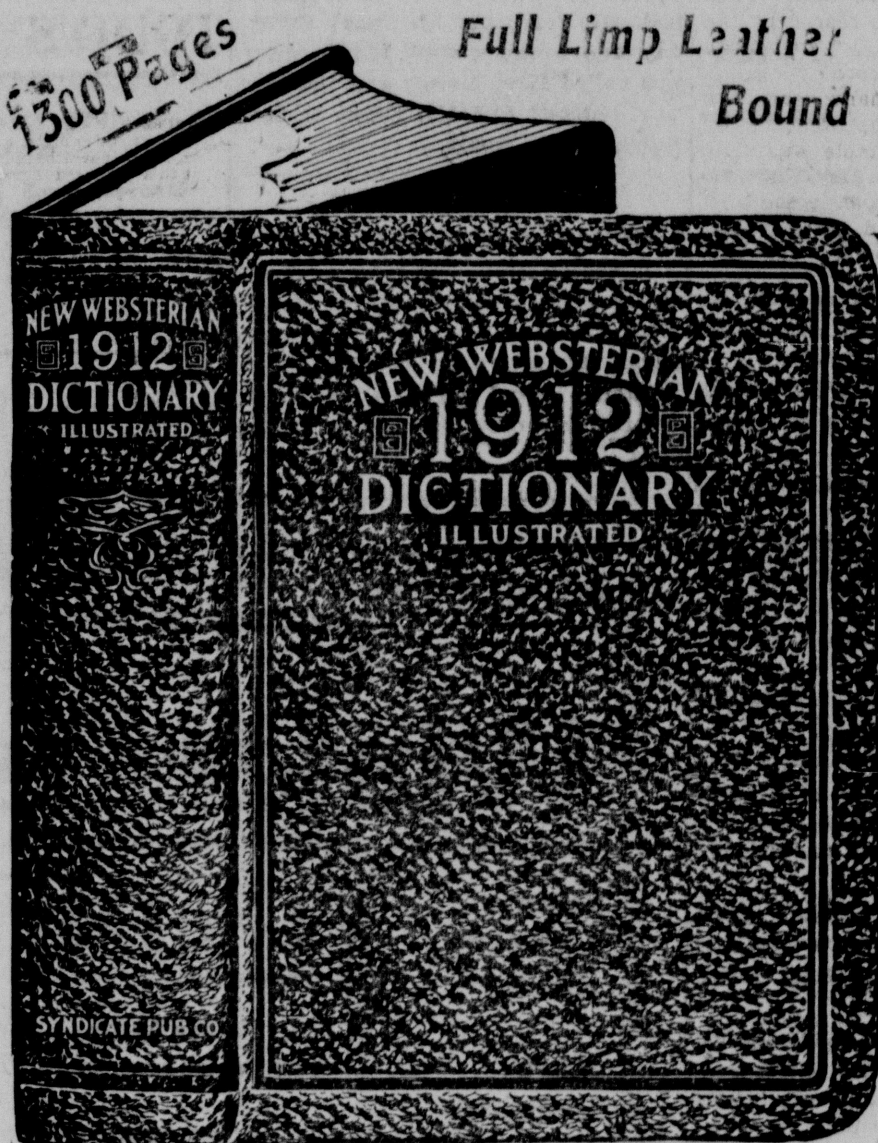
George Bymaster had the misfortune to lose milk cows from getting in the corn field and eating too much corn.

Mrs. John Young, who has been sick the past few weeks, is much better.

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HARMON.

Several of the farmers are sowing winter wheat. As there was a failure this year they are going to try it again.

Many farmers are building silos, some lumber and some concrete. They are beginning to think they are a good thing to keep feed in for stock.

Thos. P. Long went to the county fair at Amboy Thursday.

F. H. Kugler went to the fair last Thursday at Amboy.

W. H. Kugler and family went to the fair at Amboy Thursday in their auto.

John L. Porter went to the fair Friday.

George P. Ross went to the fair Friday.

Mrs. Boyd took a trip to see Niagara Falls. She was taking an outing from home.

There is a large gang of men at work ballasting the railroad track, as it was out of shape and unsafe for fast trains.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Catholic church. The brick wall is going up fast and the carpenters have put the joists on for the floor. They are also setting in the window and door casings.

Father Smith has moved to his new location at Maple Park, near Chicago.

Some of our people went to the show at Dixon Friday.

Some of the farmers have begun picking corn in time to take care of it, as they had so much trouble this year with it. They will each secure their own seed corn and not pay fabulous prices for it, having paid as high as \$10 a bushel for it this year.

The fall plowing is going on rapidly since the rain has softened the ground.

Mrs. Wm. Ramey and sister, Miss Williams of Sterling, went to the fair Friday.

George Gantzer and wife of Nelson were here Friday.

Jacob Rudenbaugh has men at work on the Mangels house.

Mrs. Durr and daughter Mary attended the fair at Amboy Thursday.

John Behrendt is very busy putting up buildings.

The new priest will soon be permanently located in Harmon.

Frank Hettinger took some pictures out riding last Friday in his auto.

James Layden is not better but rather grows worse.

Aaron Eberly had a young horse badly injured by running a nail in its foot. It may cause lockjaw, as it often does.

Alfred Clatworthy had a horse badly injured on barb wire.

Misses Johnson and Miller, the milliners and dressmakers, attended the fair.

James Morrissey was on the grand jury at Dixon last week.

Ed. McCormick was at the fair Thursday.

Miss Moore spent Thursday evening at the fair.

N. R. Perkins is located in his own home now.

Wm. Kelchner came on Thursday from Sterling.

There seems to be a new crew on the freight train, both conductor and brakemen.

John Layden stays in Harmon since the illness of his father, Jas. Layden.

Peter Huey is doing considerable improving about his place since he purchased it. He will have his buildings painted shortly.

The construction train was here with several carloads of cinders for the track.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was here Friday.

The health of the community is good.

Wm. Dowd of Chicago was here Friday looking after his farm.

H. R. Heron was here last Friday.

C. H. Eakle was here Friday afternoon.

J. R. McCormick was here Friday.

John Kelly of Hamilton was here Friday.

August Janson was a caller here Friday.

Wm. Geldean was a caller here Friday.

Albert McDermott of Marion, the fancy poultry raiser, was in Harmon Friday.

Last Saturday morning Harry Osterlander took the train with his wife and child to consult a specialist about it.

Lynn Parker was in Chicago last week and saw the flying machines. He says they looked like a flock of birds. He saw them bring the aviator out of the lake that went down in the fog.

Fred Shaffer was a Harmon caller Friday.

A stack of hay containing about 15 tons was burned for Albert McDermott last Friday worth about \$100.

James Conklin of Hamilton was here Saturday.

John Lally of Marion was here on Saturday.

Reuben Conklin of East Grove was here Saturday.

H. E. Vroman was gathering in poultry Saturday.

John Sill has an attack of sciatica. He suffers much pain with it.

Casper Schulte was here Saturday.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.							
Club.	W.	L.	P. C.	Club.	W. L. P. C.		
Boston	38	44	600	Detroit	38	76	472
Washington	37	58	60	Cleveland	38	76	472
Philadelphia	36	59	60	New York	48	43	343
Chicago	30	72	493	St. Louis	48	44	338
NATIONAL LEAGUE.							
New York	37	44	683	Philadelphia	37	74	475
Chicago	37	54	817	St. Louis	39	56	410
Cincinnati	36	56	606	Brooklyn	34	58	343
Pittsburgh	32	72	50	Boston	47	46	329
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.							
Minneapolis	105	60	638	Ind'iankee	78	85	479
Toledo	98	66	598	St. Paul	77	90	431
Columbus	88	68	588	Louisville	66	101	350
Kan. City	85	82	560	Ind'ianapolis	56	115	333
WESTERN LEAGUE.							
Denver	59	63	597	D. Moines	77	77	500
Omaha	50	67	575	Uolva City	73	80	475
St. Joe	48	70	659	Wichita	75	83	475
Lincoln	47	81	657	Topeka	53	104	428

Scores of Monday's Games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
No games scheduled.			
NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Boston 7; Cincinnati.			
Brooklyn 7; St. Louis.			
No other games scheduled.			
WESTERN LEAGUE.			
Omaha 8; Sioux City 2.			
Lincoln 6; Topeka 1.			
Wichita 3; Denver 1.			
St. Joe 7; Des Moines 4.			

SEEK GUNS IN SNEED CASE

Sheriff and Twenty Deputies Pass On All Who Enter Courtroom.

Amarillo, Tex., Sept. 24.—In the habeas corpus hearing on behalf of John Neal Sneed, charged with the murder of Al G. Boyce, scheduled to begin here before Judge J. N. Browning, Sheriff Burwell and twenty special deputies were prepared to search all who sought admission to the courtroom. State witnesses, of whom there were forty-eight, were to be introduced first. There were thirteen witnesses for the defense. The hearing was expected to continue four days. Relatives and friends of the Sneed and Boyce families have gathered here in large numbers.

HUTTON WILL NOT RUN

Darrow Judge Withdraws Name in Race for Re-Election to Bench.

Los Angeles, Sept. 24.—Judge George H. Hutton of the Los Angeles superior court, who presided at the recent Darrow bribery trial, withdrew from the race for re-election because his health had become affected by the months of strain of the trial. With the termination of his duties on the bench, Judge Hutton will head an expedition of investigation and exploration into New Mexico and Arizona for the American Archaeological society for the purpose of studying the evidences of an ancient irrigation system of prehistoric races in that section.

Killed by Riding Into Wire.

Avon Smith, a young lad of Dinuba, Colo., rode against a barbed-wire which was stretched across a road and cut his throat from ear to ear. Young Smith was riding in the early twilight to the home of a neighbor, and took a road through an open field—one which he has traveled for several years—unaware that a wire had been stretched across the highway that afternoon to keep out teams. The wire was stretched taut and at just a height to strike him across the throat.

Battle Rages on Samos.

Smyrna, Sept. 24.—Turkish troops and rebels on the island of Samos clashed and were still fighting at a late hour, with the result of the battle undecided. The rebels demand the secession of the island from Turkey and its annexation to Greece.

INDICT SCHOOL HEAD

N. C. Dougherty of Peoria, Ill., Named in True Bills.

Secretary to State's Attorney Has Vision of Faults in Documents and Corrects Them.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 24.—A young woman's dream led to an investigation, the sum total of which is that Newton C. Dougherty, former head of the city schools here, may be brought to stand trial on indictments against him which were voted by the grand jury yesterday.

Fifteen indictments against Dougherty were returned by the grand jury, which has been in session three weeks. The true bills charge forgery, the embezzlement charge, which it was said the evidence found warranted, having become outlawed. Judge Worthington fixed the bond at \$800 each, or a total of \$12,000.

Miss Lillian Adams, private secretary to State's Attorney Scholes, was the young woman who had the dream. For several days she has been directing a corps of assistants in the compilation of the blank indictments, and Sunday night she dreamed that the indictments were faulty.

She remembers nothing about the dream except that. In the morning when she entered her office in the courthouse she took up the indictments and began to read them. She soon found the error.

On a great many of the true bills the final charge had been omitted, the words "against the form of law prescribed, etc.," having been overlooked in the great rush of the last week.

They were ready for the grand jury when it met yesterday afternoon.

CROWD SEES BANDITS ROB

Auto Gang Blackjacks Man and Takes \$1,800 on Busy New York Street.

New York, Sept. 24.—Two automobile bandits blackjacked and robbed John Popper, senior member of the firm of Popper, Gray & Co., at Seventeenth street and Ninth avenue, one of the busiest corners of New York, securing \$800 in cash and \$1,000 in negotiable paper. They then escaped in a large red touring car. As they sped away Patrolman Martin and a crowd gave chase and the bandits opened fire with automatic pistols, finally disappearing in one of the crowded side streets. This is the second robbery by automobile bandits in two days, the one of Sunday being led by a woman.

HAS NEW BILL SCHEME

Treasury Official Hopes to Balk Counterfeiter's Art.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Robert O. Bailey, assistant secretary of the treasury, completed a list of former presidents and other prominent men whose names are to be used on a new series of paper money that is about to be issued.

All the bills of the same denomination, under the new plan, will bear the faces of the same men. That is, all treasury notes, silver certificates, gold certificates and national bank notes of the same amount will be alike as far as pictures go. This, it is believed, will be a check on counterfeiting.

M'COY SUES FOR \$300,000

American Pugilist Asks Damages From Belgium for False Arrest.

Brussels, Belgium, Sept. 24.—Suit for \$300,000 damages for false arrest was filed against the Belgian government by counsel representing Kid McCoy, the American pugilist. McCoy was arrested in London in July in connection with the theft of jewels from the room of a Belgian princess in a hotel at Ostend.

Kills Brother at Breakfast.

Danville, Ky., Sept. 24.—William Hager, twenty-six years old, was shot to death at the breakfast table by his brother Percy, aged thirty. The shooting was caused by a quarrel over land they owned together.

ALFONSO'S SISTER IS DEAD

Princess Maria Teresa Expires Suddenly at Madrid.

Madrid, Spain, Sept. 24.—Princess Maria Teresa, sister of King Alfonso, died suddenly from the effects of an embolism. The infant, who was not quite thirty years old, was married six years ago to Prince Ferdinand of Bavaria. The prince had become a naturalized Spaniard a year before and is an officer in the Spanish army. He resides in Madrid. The infant leaves three children—Prince Luis Alfonso, Prince Jose Eugenio and a princess not yet a year old.

SLAYER IS SHOT TO DEATH

Italian Kills Countryman at Beloit, Wis., and Is Slain by Police.

Beloit, Wis., Sept. 24.—Victor Riccardo, an Italian shopman, was shot to death on the street by Nick Licoriti, a countryman, who was killed by policemen who attempted to capture him. No reason is known for the shooting. Licoriti was twenty years and his victim forty. He leaves a wife and four children in Italy.

TAFT ACCUSER IS HELD

U. S. Secret Service Men Arrest Juan Didapp.

Man Who Said President's Brother Aided War Charged With Neutrality Offense.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 24.—Interrupted while imbibing ice cream soda and giving an interview to a newspaper reporter, Juan Pedro Didapp was arrested here by secret service men.

Fresh from Washington, where he says he represented certain factions of Mexican revolutionists, Senor Didapp was lodged in the county jail and his room in a hotel was searched.

Didapp's arrest was on a warrant issued at San Antonio some weeks ago charging violation of neutrality during the former Vasquez Gomez revolution movement.

Didapp evaded secret service men while passing through San Antonio, arriving here Friday night. After he had given several interviews the secret service men here discovered his presence.

Didapp a few days ago gave an interview accusing Charles P. Taft and H. Clay Pierce of furnishing \$5,000,000 to aid Madero in the rebellion against President Diaz.

Mexico City, Sept. 24.—One hundred federal soldiers barely escaped extermination in a rebel ambush in Santa Rosita pass, Chihuahua. Major Villereal, who was in command of the federales, is among the dead.

GRAND DETOUR.

Sept. 24.—Mrs. Ella Frey took a party of ladies from the Colonial to the Pines Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Netts has had her home resins.

Mrs. James Pankhurst of Temperance Hill visited at the Dr. Pankhurst home Wednesday and Thursday.

J. Schlahofer, wife and niece returned to their homes Tuesday.

W. C. Andrus started for New York Wednesday.

Hez Sheffield came home from St. Paul Thursday with a carload of cattle.

Will and Frank Netts have been putting in cement walks at their home.

A. L. Palmer and wife were in Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. T. A. Boxley and children went to Dixon Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. John Teeter and attend the circus, returning home on Saturday.

Mrs. T. F. Rosbrook and daughter called on friends Thursday.

DeForest Lowry is a happy boy. His father has bought a pony and buggy for him to drive to school.

Arthur Davis started for Canada Wednesday.

Mrs. Warren Burdick of Rock Falls spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mumma.

A little daughter has taken up her abode with Mr. and Mrs. John Gerhart. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Several from here drove to Dixon Friday to see the parade and attend the circus.

Miss Ora Mon came home from Wocessing Friday to visit her parents returning to her school Sunday afternoon.

C. W. Johnson and wife drove to Dixon Thursday.

Charles Pyfer and wife of Oak Ridge spent Thursday at the John Mumma home.

Mrs. Stella Young of Oak Ridge visited her cousin, Miss Wood, Friday.

Mrs. Lambert and daughter of Eldest spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Warner and daughter.

R. G. Remmers and wife visited at the Wm. Remmers home in South Dixon Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Warner and children spent a few days last week in Dixon with relatives.

George Remmers and family visited at the L. E. Etnyre home Sunday.

George Smith and wife of Dixon called on friends Sunday.

Mrs. Mary French returned from Polo Saturday.

Misses Bailey of Oregon and Misses Reed of Chicago spent Friday with Miss Harrington.

Mrs. Mae Netts and son spent Sunday with her brother, Walter Mon, near Stratford.

S. Prettiman, wife and daughter visited at the Will Palmer home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Young of Dixon visited at the Scott Lowry home Sunday.

Miss Maud Wood is in Dixon for a few days.

Miss Harrington starts for Mapleton, Ill., today. She will go to Omaha to visit with relatives before she returns.

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WILLOW CREEK MAN

BROKE LEG

Lee, Ill., Sept. 24.—Special to Telegraph—Wm. Grove of Willow Creek township fell from his buggy Saturday and broke a limb. A physician was called immediately and the fracture reduced and Mr. Grove is now resting quite easily.

SPECIAL TRAIN THROUGH HERE

A special train carrying members of the International Congress of Applied Chemistry passed through Dixon this afternoon over the fourth western, bound for San Francisco where the annual meeting is to be held.

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Anyone having old clothing of any description can leave it with Walter Preston at his undertaking establishment and it will be delivered to them.

Mrs. Morris Laursen of Walnut was here last week visiting.

Fire Chief Thomas Coffey is taking a week's vacation during which time John Kayser is acting chief.

Winter Is Coming

The Days Grow Shorter

Nature moves in cycles. Therefore, those incidents of our daily lives which have to do with Nature, occur with approximate regularity.

A few months ago your electric light bill grew beautifully less in proportion to the increased hours of daylight. The shrinkage was augmented by the departure of various members of the family for vacations, by your enjoyment of the long, dusky evenings on the porch and by numerous other causes which make electric lights less necessary during the summer months.

Likely enough, when you paid your electric light bill last month you noticed how these same natural causes are once more at work in inverse order, forcing your bill back to normal winter figures.

Or you will notice it this month. And when you do just think of the added hours you are using lights—think of the added pleasure and comfort and the greater safety that follow the free use of electric current during the gloomy winter season.

And remember that your pro rata expense is the same—that it costs no more to use your electric lights or electric appliances at one season than it does at another.

The housewife who saw drudgery disappear when electric labor saving appliances came into her home, never thinks of losing their advantages during the winter months, simply because more electric current is used for lighting. She knows they cost her no more to use and are equally essential to her comfort.

The freer use of electric lights makes winter more pleasant and new pleasures and satisfaction follow the introduction of each electrical appliance into your home.

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DEFENDING THE GUILTY

Frederick A. Brown's Story Illustrates the Conditions That Sometimes Confront the Lawyer.

Frederick A. Brown, a well known Chicago lawyer, told the following story at a recent dinner:

"Attorneys are frequently asked how they can defend men whom they know to be guilty. The reply is that we seldom if ever know that they are guilty. I once, however, became the unwilling attorney of a man whom I knew to be guilty.

"I was in Judge Brentano's court, waiting for a trial to be called, when a negro was brought in, charged with highway robbery. Judge Brentano, finding that he had no attorney, directed me, against my protest, to defend him.

"I took the colored man aside and said, 'Well, are you guilty?' and to my surprise he replied, 'Well, boss, they found the pocketbook on me and have twenty witnesses to prove it.' He then went on to tell me that he had snatched a woman's pocketbook on Thirty-ninth street and Cottage Grove avenue on a Saturday afternoon, ran west in Thirty-ninth street, turned up an alley, with a crowd after him, who caught him as he was getting over a six-foot board fence.

"In looking at the indictment I found that he was indicted under the habitual criminal act, under which he could be sent to the penitentiary for forty years. I returned to the courtroom and insisted that Judge Brentano should appoint some other lawyer, which he refused to do. I then made the proposition to the prosecutor that if he would waive the habitual criminal count I would have my man plead guilty and save the cost of a trial.

"This was agreed to, the darky was delighted, pleaded guilty, and received the minimum sentence. After it was all over the darky turned to me and said, 'Boss, that was so easy that I believed if you half tried you would have got me clean off.'

NEW WAY OF SAVING MONEY

How a Number of Working Girls Are Accumulating a Fund for Vacation Trips.

Some girls working in a certain trust company have organized a most unusual method of saving money for their vacation trips. Two of the girls out of the thirty-five that have entered into the plan are appointed trustees, and the first Saturday in July (any month can be chosen) each girl pays just two cents. With thirty-five girls that makes seventy cents, which is duly deposited by the trustees in the bank.

Beginning with the week following, the assessment grows to four cents, then six cents the next week, and so on, increasing two cents each week, but the increase is so very gradual that it is no great effort to put the amount away.

The following June the money is drawn out and each girl receives the amount that she has paid in, which would be \$25.50, the saving beginning in July plus about \$1 interest. You will readily see that the amount saved will provide a girl with a nice two weeks' vacation and it is almost like finding money. Until Christmas, when they need money most, the assessments are nominal, the "big" ones coming in Lent, when one does not need so much spending money.

As the rule was made in the beginning that anyone who failed to pay would lose what she had already put in, everyone makes it a point to pay promptly. One good clause in the laws stipulates that if any girl loses her position or marries she can withdraw the amount that she has put in.—Harper's Bazar.

German Court Balls.

In the German court balls not all those who are invited are permitted to take part in the dances which the Kaiser witnesses.

The Kaiser has no love for "the quick and slovenly." Many months before the ball the selected couples rehearse the dances under the direction of Fraulein Gaspert, mistress of the court ballet. The Kaiserin criticizes freely the ladies and gentlemen who show any shortcomings. The ordinary rehearsals take place in one of the chambers of the palace, but the final rehearsal is held on the eve of the ball, at the residence of one of the invited.

The Princesses royal carry trains held by two pages, but the other ladies have to manage their own. For married ladies the length prescribed is about 11 feet 6 inches, the trains of the other ladies being rather more than half a yard less.

Peculiar Western Banks.

The difference between the American east and west so strongly emphasized by rhetoricians and meteorologists extends even to the banking system. In the west they lend money on reputation, in the east on security. On a day in June last, six little banks in Seattle had lent on individual or firm notes without any other security than the names \$8,597,000; while the whole national bank group in New York had lent on similar paper only a little more than \$9,000,000. On that same day, in San Francisco, the loans of this sort amounted to more than \$47,000,000.

The western system is one of credit based upon industry, and upon much closer and more accurate knowledge of the man himself than can ever be possible in the bigger eastern cities.—World's Work.

THOUGHT HIS TIME HAD COME

Imagination Truly Is a Wonderful Thing, as Kansas Man Is Likely to Admit.

Every summer John Fisher, a Liberty grocer, and Frank Cockrell, a retired farmer, maintain a camp at the mouth of Shoal creek on the Missouri river, about 15 miles below Kansas City and four miles south of Liberty.

Last summer they were entertaining, among others, J. D. Taylor, a farmer of near Manola, about 65 miles northwest of Alberta, Canada. The hosts and their guest were grouped around a small camp fire, scantily attired and partaking of fried catfish with relish, when Taylor grabbed at his leg and arose to his feet with a howl that sounded like the siren of the Gunter.

"I'm a goner, boys," he groaned, as he hopped around on one leg, gripping the other powerfully with both hands and imploring someone between whistles to get a club and get busy. "There's a snake in my pants leg as big as my arm and it's squeezing and biting me to death."

Fisher grabbed one side of the trouser leg in question and Cockrell the other and they ripped with right good will, but no snake appeared. When Taylor was sans pants, however, they took the remnant from his hands, and closely merged with the interior was found the stringy remains of a small frog.

"And that's what imagination will do for you," said Taylor, as he hunted up a box and climbed upon it tailor fashion to finish his interrupted session with the fish.—Kansas City Journal.

NOT DRAWN FROM FLOWERS

Perfumes Today Are Extracted From Almost Everything but Seemingly Natural Source.

There are few perfumes today that cannot be made from chemicals, synthetically, as the chemists call it. Formerly all perfumes were extracted from flowers, fruits, spices, woods or other vegetable and animal substances. The first perfume to be imitated was vanilla, in 1876. Heliotropine followed, but obtained by oxidation of a by-product of camphor.

Terpinol is one of the most freely used constituents of perfumes. This is a near relation of turpentine. With this a little oil and aquafortis a chemist can produce a perfume that can scarcely be distinguished from those exhaled by the lily of the valley, lilac and Cape Jessamine, varying according to the proportions in which the chemicals are blended.

Artificial violet is a combination of citral (an essence extracted from lemon), Indian yervaine, or lemon yervaine, with common acetone, a substance very like pyroligneous acid.

No chemist has been able to counterfeit musk, but a synthetic perfume called musk is made from toluene a by-product of benzine and coal tar. This is changed to a complex carburet, treated with azotic and sulphuric acids, is diluted and sold as musk.

Most of the cheap perfumes are imitations and they are almost always inferior to the flower extracts. So it might properly be said that it is a wise flower that knows its own perfume.

Forced to Sacrifice Beard.

The Wisconsin farmer whom Judge Holhand condemned, in lieu of a fine which he could not pay, to have his flowing beard cut off, may find consolation in the fact that a similar order deprived a man in New York of long and carefully cultivated whiskers a few days ago. The man is employed in a manufacturing concern where his duties bring him in contact with rapid moving machinery. The proprietor's little son, in a visit to the factory, stood near the machine which the bearded man was operating and asked: "Don't the hair ever get mixed up with the silk?" The operator simply smiled, but the father, realizing a danger, gave the man then and there the option of shave or discharge. He chose the former.

Drew the Line at Cats.

To the list of divorces for seemingly trivial causes—such as "cruelty in not taking me out riding," "cruelty in requiring me to sew on buttons," etc., has now been added a divorce granted to a man who charged his wife with "cruelty in keeping cats in the house," thereby preventing him from occupying his favorite chair. On the judge's inquiring, "Why didn't you put the cats out of the house?" the man answered, "My wife is a member of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and I was afraid she would have me arrested."

Guess at Philanthropist's Identity.

John M. Longyear, of Brookline, is now thought by his friends to be possibly the mysterious contributor of \$2,500,000 to "Tech." Henry C. Frick, Thomas A. Edison and Andrew Carnegie are previous guesses. The list bids fair to resemble a directory of philanthropic multimillionaires. Mr. Longyear, who has greatness thrust upon him, made his money in ore and timber lands in Michigan and elsewhere in the west.

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115 ARE DROWNED WHILE AT SEA

Steamer Obnoska Is Sunk in Collision in Dwina River in Russia.

VESSELS COLLIDE IN FOG

Of the 150 Passengers on the Ill-Fated Vessel Only 35 Are Saved—Peasants Struggle Frantically in Attempt to Escape.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 24.—The steamer Obnoska was sunk, with the loss of 115 lives, in collision with another steamer in the Dwina river, according to a dispatch received here.

There were 150 passengers on the Obnoska at the time of the disaster. The dispatch says the vessels met in a fog and so quickly did the Obnoska settle, that only thirty-five passengers and members of the crew were rescued.

The Dwina river is wide and swift where the collision occurred.

Passengers in Panic. As the boats struck, passengers on the Obnoska rushed up on the decks. Many of the passengers were ignorant peasants and they struggled frantically with officers and sailors, who tried to marshal them in line for debarkation in the few life boats which were carried. Part of those boats had been wrecked in the collision and were useless.

As the first boat was loosened from its davits the big steamer listed and plunged to its grave.

Only a few passengers and sailors had opportunity to jump into the water and save their lives.

Boats from the steamer which hit the Obnoska picked up the few survivors.

Called the Marriage Off.

Tears, many tears, have just ended a romance begun five years ago in London, England. The marriage of the couple was to have been celebrated the other day in St. Jerome's Catholic church, the Bronx, New York. The priest, who was to have officiated, was surprised when he was informed that there was not going to be any wedding. The reason was readily forthcoming from the bride-to-be, who has a sense of humor and hails from County Clare. She stated that her fiancé, with a distressed demeanor, had told her he had heard from his mother and that she had not ceased weeping since she heard he had resolved to marry. The girl furthermore heard that his aunt, with whom he lives, had wept day and night at the thought of her nephew as a married man. When her fiancé sorrowfully told her that the friend who was to act as best man also had wept copiously at the thought of his becoming a Benedict the ire of the young woman was aroused. "Then they need cry no longer," she snapped, "for there is going to be no marriage."

Mississippi Convict Farms.

Mississippi's prison farms have not only proved the most humane and beneficial way of handling prisoners, but they have proved most profitable. Every year from four thousand to five thousand bales of cotton, more corn than enough to supply the demand of the farm, bushels upon top of bushels of sweet potatoes, molasses as good as can be found anywhere on earth, peas, vegetables of all varieties, fruits, melons, in fact, everything good to eat, are raised on the state farm, and after paying a profit into the state treasury of from a quarter to half a million dollars, the tables of the convicts are provided with a better fare than many of the free citizens of the state can boast. Mississippi has tried several different ways of dealing with her convicts, but she finds that placing them upon farms is the best method of them all, both for the good of the state and the welfare of the unfortunates who have forfeited their right to be at large.—Jackson Clarion-Ledger.

Master of Babel.

I once heard Prof. Paul Vinogradoff—the greatest magician of our time with a historical document—postpone for a fortnight or so some references to an old Scandinavian original source because he "did not at the moment know the language." It was a superstition with all who had the honor to sit at the feet of this inspiring and wonderful man that ten days was for him a generous allowance for the mastery of any live European language. For dead and oriental tongues we gave him an extra week.—Saturday Review.

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CANNOT HIDE THEIR IDENTITY

Senders of Wireless Messages Readily Recognized by Man at the Other End.

Amateur wireless operators who break in on regular calls by commercial companies and then sign with a fictitious name may find themselves quickly identified, according to wireless operators in Chicago. The reason is that the "hand" of an operator is as quickly recognized in wireless work as in ordinary telegraphy.

Telegraphers always recognize the "hand" of a man who transmits messages and some out-of-town men have reputations for "beautiful sending" among Chicago operators. Wireless men say that the mere fact that wires have been obliterated in their business makes no difference to the man at the receiving end. He can tell at once who is sending the message if he has heard from the same man before.

"Only the other day I received a message from a station on the lake which came from a familiar hand," said a wireless operator. "I identified it at once as that of a friend I had known years before, but could not break in at that time without interrupting the message. As soon as he completed his work, however, I sent him a personal call. It turned out that he was the man of my acquaintance."

"Some of these amateurs who think they can fool the wireless will find themselves in a peck of trouble some day for interfering with messages. It is easy to become acquainted with their 'hand' if they practice at all regularly. If they play any jokes on an operator and sign fictitious names they may find out after all that they cannot disguise themselves. Their own way of sending, which differs for every individual, betrays them."

SIGNIFICANCE OF SOUTH POLE

Science Will Welcome the Discovery So Long Looked Forward To.

At least three branches of science, it is hoped, will derive important benefits from the conquest of the south pole—meteorology, geography, and seismography. More immediately important than any other result is to be, it is probable, the influence of the discovery on meteorology. In no long time, as a consequence of the weather maps based upon the fuller knowledge of atmospheric currents in the Antarctic, doubtless brought by Scott and Amundsen, the prediction of the weather will be made a much more exact science. One of the results hoped for is the forecasting of the conditions of the monsoons in India and averting thereby a vast amount of damage to property and loss of life.

To work out the many observations pertaining not only to meteorology but to the other sciences and to report on the collections in detail must, as a writer in the London Times points out, be the work of years. It is already possible, however, to conjecture from the mass of expert information published here and abroad regarding Amundsen as well as Scott what are the outlines of a great section of the globe of which only the fringe has heretofore been touched by the explorer.—Current Literature.

"Bluebird" Luncheon.

Bluebird luncheons are one of the pretty fancies of the spring, and Mrs. Edward McLean recently extended such a courtesy to Mrs. Peter Golet Gerry, who was visiting her mother, Mrs. Richard Townsend of Washington. Bluebirds of exquisite plumage fluttered about on wires which were gently swayed by an electric current, and many others were placed on the handle of a mammoth basket of violets. Each place card had a miniature bird in genuine feathers, the artistic work of the Mexicans, and the suggestion was further carried out by bread, milk, sugar and other characters in Maeterlinck's exquisite play, being decked in flowers and blue gauze and placed at intervals on the daintily spread board. Bluebird luncheons may be given on less expensive lines by having birds of blue velvet and flowers of the spring, jonquils or tulips, and pretty place cards on which the symbolic bird of happiness is painted.—New York Press.

Nations Brought Closer.

We have already spoken of the new telephone cable which is laid across the channel, so as to connect France with England, this being designed on the Pupin system, so that speech is very clear and the various provinces of England can now have connection with Paris. Recent news states that connection can now be made from London to Switzerland in a practical way for the first time, so that conversations can be held between London and Geneva by way of Paris and Lyons and between London and Basel by the way of Paris and Belfort.—Scientific American.

Copying the Mississippi.

The city of Seville, Spain, which is on the "banks of the sweet Guadalquivir," has been almost completely beleaguered recently by reason of the phenomenal rise of that river, which has abandoned its role of a meandering, sentimental stream and become a raging torrent bearing death and destruction in its course.

Put Ban on High Heels.

A Minneapolis manufacturer recently forbade the wearing of high heels on their shoes by the young women in his establishment.



KINGSBURY STYLE V

From Musical Times--Chicago

A Complete New Kingsbury Piano That is a Distinct Credit to the Cable Company--A Remarkable Instrument.

The Kingsbury piano is the oldest of the distinguished line of pianos manufactured by the various companies controlled by the Cable Company—the one that served as the foundation for the great piano business developed by the successful company.

From the outset the Kingsbury has been a favorite with the trade and the company, with appreciative enterprise, have continually made study to increase its value to the public. Every change has been beneficial but the crowning efforts have been left for the fall of 1912 evidently—to judge by the really beautiful new Kingsbury that has just made its appearance—an instrument that is completely new in scale and design—and that at once wins the favor of the musician and the piano merchant.

Supr. Johanson has been particularly happy in this new scale and evolved a tone that is musical and of great volume. In every part of the construction the greatest care has been taken—and the attractive designs are encased in woods that captivate the eye with their beautiful figure.

The Musical Times has of late made frequent allusions to the constant betterment in the entire Cable Company line—but even we scarcely expected to see a Kingsbury so closely tread upon the heels of the higher priced, artistic instruments.

But this Kingsbury does it—and we can easily imagine the acclaim with which it will be greeted by the trade. It is still the popular Kingsbury—but with so many added beauties that it at once assumes a more important position. It is a distinct credit to the Cable Company and a convincing proof of the earnestness with which that organization devotes its energies toward constant betterment.

Do not miss this opportunity to secure one of these fine pianos during our Great Factory Price Sale. Prices will surprise you. Easy terms

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CLINTON TO COPY DIXON BOOKKEEPING SYSTEM

City Clerk Grover of Dixon is in receipt of a letter from the city officials at Clinton, Ill., which city also is under the commission form of government, stating that tomorrow three of their city officials, Frank Rundle, commissioner of accounts and finances; R. C. Taylor, treasurer and Charles R. Griffin, clerk, will arrive in Dixon to make a study of the system of bookkeeping used in this city. The city of Clinton is going to copy our system. This is considered a compliment to the local men who devised and installed the present system.

Miss Pauline Utley of Sterling will spend a few days with Miss Hazel Noble.

FINEST HAIR DRESSING FOR WOMEN

Perfectly Delightful—Full of Refreshing and Invigorating Qualities That Put Life, Lustre and Beauty Into Hair.

Use PARISIAN Sage and your hair won't turn gray; won't look faded or grow thin and scraggly.

Dandruff will disappear, hair stop falling; the scalp will become immaculately white, and all germ life will be promptly destroyed.

At dealers everywhere, 50 cents. Sold by Rowland Bros., who will refund your money if you are not satisfied. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of PARISIAN Sage.

Keen Cutter

It has taken fifty years of persistent work always with quality in view to build up this wonderfully complete line of tools and hardware under one name and uniform high grade of quality.

We sell KEEN CUTTER goods and guarantee them. If not satisfactory your money back.

ROAD CONGRESS TO DRAW CROWD

Governors in All Except Eleven States Have Appointed Delegates.

TO MEET AT ATLANTIC CITY

Woodrow Wilson in Role of Governor of New Jersey Will Represent His State and Deliver Address of Welcome.

Washington, Sept. 24.—With the exception of the executives of eleven states all the governors in the United States have appointed delegates to represent their respective communities at the American road congress, to be held at Atlantic City, September 30 to October 5. It is expected that the eleven governors who have not yet been heard from will appoint delegates within the next week.

Railway Men to Attend.

While the governors of North Carolina, South Carolina, New York, Montana and Tennessee have not yet appointed delegates, each of these states will be represented by an official exhibit and the highway department of each will have representatives present at the congress.

Among the railroad presidents who have just informed President Page that they will be present at the sessions of the congress, are James McCrea of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, F. F. Yonkum of the Frisco lines, L. E. Johnson of the Norfolk and Western, George W. Stevens of the Cincinnati and Ohio.

Foreign Notables Coming.

Among the other belated acceptances are those of the minister of agriculture and roads of the province of Quebec, Hon. J. E. Caron; Chief Engineer Pully of the French government; Col. Spencer Cosby of the corps of engineers, United States army; Prof. William H. Burr of Columbia university, who is one of the foremost consulting bridge engineers of the world; Lee McClung, treasurer of the United States; Col. George Harvey; Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, Frank B. Kellogg, president of the American Bar association, and Gen. John C. Black, president of the United States civil service commission. Mayor Chynor has sent word that the chief engineer of each of the boroughs of New York will attend the congress.

Governor Wilson of New Jersey has not appointed delegates to the congress because he will be present himself to make the address of welcome, while the highway commissioner of the state will preside over the construction and maintenance section.

TUB FIRM FILES BRIEF

Lawyers Take Rap at the Sherman Law Against Trusts.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The venom of anarchy could not elaborate a more scathing, paralyzing prescription than the Sherman anti-trust law, translated literally, declared attorneys for the so-called "bathub trust" in a defense of that organization filed with the Supreme court of the United States.

Their brief constituted the opening of the fight before the highest tribunal over the finding of the federal courts in Maryland that the enameled ware manufacturers were violating the Sherman anti-trust law. The question will be argued orally in October.

VAST SUPPLY OF RADIUM

Henri Chagnoux Says That of Colorado Is Largest in World.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 24.—Colorado has the greatest supply of radium in the world stored in its mineral districts, says Henri Chagnoux, French mineralogist expert of the biological laboratory Du Radium in Paris. M. Chagnoux has just returned from Meeker, Colo., where he has been examining land said to contain the metal.

"I am here only for commercial purposes to determine whether it would pay to proceed to extract the metal in the Colorado mountains for the market," he said.

WILL SUCCEED NOLAN

Edward Bell Takes Place of Former Chicagoan, Jailed With Woman.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Edward Bell of New York, formerly second secretary of the legation at Havana, was appointed secretary of the legation at Panama, following the resignation of Harry E. Nolan, formerly of Chicago, who was arrested on a charge of abduction in New York City and released by the court on a technicality. Bell was secretary of the legation at Teheran before going to Havana. He will be succeeded at the Cuban capital by Francis Travis Cox of Philadelphia.

Excitement Killed Boxer.

Green Bay, Wis., Sept. 24.—The suit for \$10,000 damages against the managers of the prize fight in which Sebastian Parmentier died has gone to the judge on a motion of the defense to nonsuit the case, as it was shown that young Parmentier died of excitement, not as a result of blows received. The mayor is a co-defendant for not ordering the fight stopped.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS A Telegraphic Chronicle of State Happenings.

MAN KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Boiler in Plant of the Illinois Traction System at Bloomington Blown Up—Entire City in Darkness—Loss Heavy.

Bloomington, Sept. 24.—The boiler in the plant of the Illinois Traction system exploded, one man, Herbert Hawkins, being probably fatally injured, the building wrecked and entire city placed in darkness. The electric lights are furnished by this plant, and it may be several days before repairs are made. The loss will be heavy, while the absence of lights and current for power will greatly inconvenience business.

Boys Too Near Criminals.

Springfield, Sept. 24.—Steps were taken toward the transfer of the 110 boys in the Worthy school in Chicago to the State Boys' school at St. Charles. The move is to be made because of the undesirable association of the boys of the Worthy institution with the inmates of the Bridewell, the penal institution, next door. Alderman S. Mayer of Chicago came to Springfield to confer with President L. Y. Sherman of the state board of administration relative to the transfer. Sherman at once wrote to Superintendent Adams of the St. Charles home, asking him to hurry arrangements for the transfer.

Trainman Dies of Injuries.

Danville, Sept. 24.—Frank P. Spade, freight conductor on the C. & T. I. fast freight between Chicago and Villa Grove, died in St. Elizabeth's hospital of injuries received when his foot was caught in a frog at the Illinois Traction system crossing at Gilroy, eighteen miles west of Danville and 123 miles south of Chicago. Spade was setting out a car of merchandise, the two brakemen on his run being inexperienced men. His right arm was torn from the socket and he died of hemorrhages.

Wife, 67, Sues; Wedded 5 Months.

Aurora, Sept. 24.—A divorce is being sought in the Dekalb court by Mrs. Amanda Patton Baker, sixty-seven years old. She asks that she be released from her marriage bonds with George Baker, seventy years old, one of the wealthiest land owners in Kane county. Their wedding bliss lasted but five months, Mrs. Baker says. They were married in 1910. They had been friends for years and just decided to get married and settle down on one of Baker's farms. The Bakers reside near Virgil.

Challenges All Spellers.

Shelbyville, Sept. 24.—Rev. Thomas Griffith, a pioneer Baptist preacher of Shelby county and now a "shut-in" at his home in Windsor on account of infirmities, is issuing a challenge to the spelling experts of the county. That he will find anyone willing to enter the lists is hardly probable, as the aged minister announces that he has just completed Webster's Elementary spelling book of 10,839 words, without misspelling one. Mr. Griffith has been a resident of Windsor many years.

Raze Zion City Temple.

Zion City, Sept. 24.—Armed with axes, 150 employees of the Cook Electric company chopped down the wooden "tabernacle" of the Volivalets. The destruction was accomplished in an hour after the religious services were held in the building. The "tabernacle" was across the street and daily services there irritated the workmen. The building was fifty feet wide, twice as long and twenty-five feet high.

Man Killed in Charivari.

Bloomington, Sept. 24.—A charivari party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steele, a newly married couple, four miles east of Strawn, resulted in the death of Tony Kenetz, a well-known farmer, here. Kenetz was shot by an unidentified man while the demonstration was in progress. Search for the person who fired the shot has been unsuccessful.

Can't Diagnose Twenty Cases.

Springfield, Sept. 24.—Unable to determine whether twenty cases of a disease in Ramsey, Payette county, is diphtheria or croup, local physicians have called on the state board of health. Secretary Egan sent Assistant Secretary J. C. Westervelt to Ramsey to conduct the diagnosis.

Galesburg Gets Meeting.

Bloomington, Sept. 24.—Galesburg was selected for next year's meeting place of the central Illinois Methodist conference. Business was largely of a routine nature, the reading of the appointments was expected late in the afternoon, being the last action prior to adjournment.

Finds Mastodon's Tooth.

Freeport, Sept. 24.—George Voss, a farmer living near Pearl City, found the tooth of a mastodon in Yellow creek. The tooth weighs eight pounds and will be added to the county historical society's collection of relics.

Observe Golden Wedding.

Kewanee, Sept. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. James P. Bumphrey, pioneers of Henry and Bureau counties, celebrated their golden wedding at their home in Neponset.

OIL TRUST FOE TALKS TO TAFT

Samuel Untermyer Makes Hurred Trip to Washington to See President.

STANDARD MEN ARE CALLED

John D. Archbold and Other Officials of Corporation Subpoenaed in Waters-Pierce Case—Hearing Resumed in New York.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Samuel Untermyer of New York, representing the Waters-Pierce interests in opposing the Standard Oil company, conferred with President Taft at the White House offices. Reports that the government was watching developments in the Waters-Pierce suit surrounded the conference with interest.

No engagement had been made for Mr. Untermyer, but he was admitted immediately to the president's office. Mr. Taft had been refusing many engagements, because his twenty-four hour stay in Washington had been entirely booked up.

Contempt May Be Charge.

It has been reported that testimony developed in the Waters-Pierce case, now on hearing in New York, might be used by the government as a basis for investigation of how the Standard Oil company is carrying out its decree of dissolution. Contempt of court proceedings have been reported pending. It is known that Attorney General Wickersham has been receiving a stenographic copy of testimony in the case and giving it to his personal attention.

Later it was said at the White House that Mr. Untermyer had asked President Taft to permit the "money trust" committee to draw upon the government departments for certain information they want to use in connection with the money trust investigation, and that the Waters-Pierce oil litigation was not discussed.

Oil Directors Are Called.

New York, Sept. 24.—Subpoenas were issued for John D. Archbold, the directing genius of the Standard Oil company, and for all the directors of the old Standard Oil company of New Jersey to testify in the hearing in the suit which was brought to prevent three Standard Oil men to serve on the board of the Waters-Pierce Oil company.

Three of the lawyers in the case were absent when the hearing was resumed in the law office of Samuel Untermyer, Mr. Untermyer, who is chief counsel for the Waters-Pierce company, is in Washington; D. N. Kirby of the Standard Oil company legal force is in St. Louis and F. N. Judson of the Waters-Pierce attorneys is also in St. Louis.

Subpoenas Are Issued.

S. W. Fordyce, who handled the Waters-Pierce case, announced the issuance of subpoenas for Archbold and other officials of the old Standard Oil company of New Jersey, which, before the dissolution, was the parent company of the trust. Mr. Archbold is a passenger on the liner Olympic, which is expected to arrive here Wednesday from Europe. The subpoena will probably be served upon him at the pier.

It was originally expected that the hearing would be ended on Wednesday of this week, but it is now believed that it will not be concluded until next week.

The principal witness was Kenneth Adams, chief assignment clerk in the refinery department of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey. He said that before the dissolution his district was unlimited, whereas now he is confined to districts where the Standard Oil of New Jersey has refineries.

SLAYER OF WIFE DIES

C. S. Jordan Executed at Charleston, Mass., for Killing Actress.

Boston, Sept. 24.—At 12:14:30 this morning in the state prison at Charleston, Chester S. Jordan, thirty-three years old, expatriated in the electric chair the murder of his wife, Honora (Shannon) Jordan, who was a vaudeville actress in their home in Somerville, four years ago. The body is to be buried in Indianapolis, Jordan's native place.

MAY RAZE CHINA TOWN

Official Defies Government and Troops Are Sent to Oust Him.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The American consul at Foochow, China, reports the situation as extremely critical.

It is said the Peking government is sending a large force to remove from office the chief of police at Foochow, who, defying the authority of the central government, threatens to destroy the city in case he is attacked.

The consul reports unrest in the country districts around Foochow.

Find Man Called Dead.

Mason City, Ia., Sept. 24.—Officials of the Modern Brotherhood of America feel certain that they have found the long lost Ole Hagen. Eight years ago he disappeared from Wells, Minn. He carried a \$2,000 policy in this order and his wife kept up payments. A short time ago she filed a death claim for the full amount. Hagen was located at St. Louis. Postmaster J. E. Stiles of Wells has been to St. Louis to further identify him.

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Most everyone went to the fair at Amboy Thursday.

A. M. Bieschke has finished painting the buildings on the John Halbmaier farm.

A. F. Jeanguenat was in town on business Friday morning.

Frank Bauer and wife of Compton have moved to West Brooklyn, and are living in their residence recently purchased on Third street.

Julius Deihotal was here from Viola on business Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hahn and daughter Rosie and Mrs. Fred Becker, and daughter Emma left Monday for Chicago, where they will spend a week, visiting relatives and friends. On their way home they will stop off at Aurora for a few days.

Rev. Michael B. Krug's household goods arrived Wednesday and a number of the congregation were in town to assist the pastor in establishing his new home.

John Fassig was here from South Brooklyn Thursday afternoon.

West Brooklyn was numbered with the winners at the Lee County fair in the person of Barr Bros., who carried away two blue ribbons with their imported pecheron stallions. Frank Barr also carried off a blue ribbon with a pen of White Wyandotte chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harthan were visitors in West Brooklyn Thursday.

The Chicago Daily Tribune, The Chicago Record-Herald, The Chicago Daily Journal, the Breeders' Gazette, the Iowa Homestead, and Wallace's Farmer, are all good newspapers that are secured at a low rate by clubs with the West Brooklyn News. Now is the time you will need reading matter.

Edward McIntyre, Jr., was in West Brooklyn on business on Thursday.

If we haven't saved you money on your insurance, it is because you allow some other agent to insure you instead of coming to us and permitting us to write you up. Henry F. & Oliver L. Gehant, West Brooklyn, Ill.

Matt Haub was in town doing business on Wednesday of this week.

We learn that Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wiser have decided to return to America to live and will dispose of their property in France. It seems they have been Americanized too long a time to be content with the old world ways and after a year stay in their native land are very glad to come back to Illinois where they have been so successful. We do not know exactly when they expect to return.

We are told that F. L. Oester had the misfortune to have his pockets visited by pick-pockets on Thursday evening while returning home from the Amboy fair. It seems the car on the train was not very well lighted and this afforded a good excuse for these sort of people to do their work. It is said that they took \$17 or \$18 from Mr. Oester's pocket. It is very lucky that that is all he had in the pocket at the time or more would have gone just like what was missed.

William Bittner was in town from South Brooklyn on Thursday morning.

Jacob Maelbrech was over from Compton on a visit with friends Friday.

Louis & George Gehant were visitors in West Brooklyn on Friday forenoon.

Charles Schott and wife of Madison, Wis., have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Biggart and other relatives and friends in this vicinity. They returned to their home on Thursday.

G. L. Jeanguenat was in town on business affairs Friday morning.

C. C. Weber and brother Adam were over to DeKalb on Wednesday and while there Chris bought a farm of 122 acres just three miles west of DeKalb and one and one half mile from Malta. The hard roads pass the farm and the electric road is now building past the place so that the location must certainly be ideal. Mr. Weber does not expect to move to this farm for a year or two yet as his lease of the Hoerner farm does not expire for two years more. We are sorry to lose them from the neighborhood but hope they have luck and a happy home.

We were to the county fair at Amboy on Wednesday and found the reason why most everybody had disappeared and left us with no news items to write. It seemed they were all in Amboy and we could hardly

believe it when on the next day we were told that the crowd was nearly twice as large as it had been during the second day. A fair estimate of the attendance on the third day places the number of persons at 15,000 so those who were not lucky enough to be present can form some idea of the enormous crowds gathered. The firm of Bernardin & Barlow of West Brooklyn had an interesting exhibit on the grounds and were the center of much attraction with the various sorts of machinery which they were showing and demonstrating. They specialized upon the patent Roanok Washer, the Litchfield Spreader and the Fairbanks-Morse engine. B. J. Long conducted a genuine restaurant on the grounds and was accorded much praise for the excellent goods he handled and the measures he dishied out. He believed in making money, but he wanted those who patronized him to have their money's worth also. Too many times during such occasions as the fair do those who conduct refreshment stands try to get as much money as possible and give such little value as possible so as to swell their own earnings. In long's stand on Thursday six clerks were kept busy all day long so you can know they did the business. Then again West Brooklyn was very prominent when Barr Brothers carried off two blue ribbons with their prize live stock and poultry. It is a great County Fair and draws thousands of people to Amboy which is a big boom for the town. That's where Amboy is luckier than the other towns of the county because it has a central location and is the logical point for holding the fair. West Brooklyn patronized the fair just as heartily as any other section of the county and perhaps more and the crowd were reminded of home when they heard the Dixon Marine Band playing some of the identical pieces that the West Brooklyn Band play. They did not play any better according to those who were present and heard the music so why should the officers of the fair association award all the plums to one organization in a county such as this one is and when there are other bands in the county located in other sections that the fair people hope to draw patronage from as well as from Dixon.

Saturday's issue of the New World gives a list of the various changes in the Rockford diocese of the Catholic church which resulted in Rev. Michael B. Krug being assigned to the West Brooklyn charge. The article reads: Bishop Muldoon made the following assignments recently. Rev. Ambrose Goulet of Harvard resigned owing to ill health and will seek relief in California. His pastorate has been supplied by the transfer of Rev. D. A. Feely from the Durand and Irish Grove charge. Rev. Father Quinlisk of Oregon has been transferred to the parish and mission left by Father Feely, while Rev. A. J. Vollman of Barrington takes the Oregon charge. Father S. Wolfgang of Johnsbury, asked to be relieved of his pastoral duties on account of his age and ill health and will go to Germany. Rev. Edward Berthold of West Brooklyn has been appointed to Johnsbury and Rev. M. B. Krug of Elizabeth to the parish recently in charge of Rev. Berthold. Father Nellis who has been curate at St. Joseph's church in Freeport seven years, has been given the Elizabeth charge. Rev. Peter N. Wilkin who was ordained at St. James Pro-Cathedral a year ago, and who spent the last year at Washington university is the new assistant at Freeport. Ill health prompted the resignation of Rev. F. J. Hartman of Maple Park and he has been succeeded by Rev. Thomas Smith of Harmon. Father McKeon, curate at St. Joseph's church, Belvidere, goes to the Harmon charge. School was dismissed in West Brooklyn Thursday and Friday of this week to allow the faculty and pupils to attend the Lee County fair. The board figured that they could learn much by a visit to the fair grounds and this prompted their actions in dismissing school during the two days.

The heavy rains of Friday night caused the officials of the local court of Catholic Order of Foresters to call off the picnic in the grove for Sunday.

We are very thankful for the news items which many of our readers and friends contribute to our letter of the News and we would please remind them of the dates that our mail goes forth, so that they can know by what time to submit their matter to us for each issue.

The letter which appears in Tuesday's issue should be 'shrdul' (taol) day's issue is mailed on the preceding Saturday and all items for this issue should be in our office by 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The letter which appears in Friday's issue is mailed from here on Wednesday evening and all matter for this issue should be at our office by 4 o'clock.

We appreciate very much the interest taken by many of our people in giving us items for publication and hope they shall continue the good work and thereby assist us very materially in publishing a newsy letter and keeping up the good qualities of the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halbmaier were in town visiting friends on Saturday.

Miss Teresa Jeanguenat of Waterman where she is teaching school for the present term, arrived in West Brooklyn Friday evening for a visit of a couple of days with home folks.

Joseph B. Bauer was here on business Saturday morning.

Miss Kathryn Long was an evening passenger for her home in Harmon on Friday to visit over Sunday with her parents.

The rainy weather prevented the West Brooklyn Cornet Band from making the trip to Shabbona Wednesday night as it was impossible for automobiles to run. The weather was rather cool anyway for the people to stand outside to hear the concert which is held in the park.

WOMEN TAKE NOTICE!

A man cannot understand the torture and suffering many women endure uncomplainingly. If the majority of men suffered as much pain and endured with patience the weakening sicknesses that most women do, they would ask for immediate sympathy and look for a quick cure.

Many women have been saved from a life of misery and suffering by turning to the right remedy—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy which is safe to take because containing no narcotics, alcohol or injurious ingredients. It is an alterative extract of roots, made with pure glycerin, and first given to the public by that famous specialist in the diseases of women—Dr. R. V. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute of Buffalo, N. Y.



Mrs. Hessermer.

Mrs. LIZZIE M. HESSERMER, of Lincoln, Neb., 629 "C" St., says: "I send a testimonial with much pleasure so that some suffering woman may know the true worth of your remedies. I was a great sufferer from female troubles but after taking one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which a friend advised me to take, I found myself very much improved. After taking three more bottles, and using two boxes of Dr. Pierce's Lotion Tablets, I found myself on the road to recovery. I was in poor health for five years but now I am cured."

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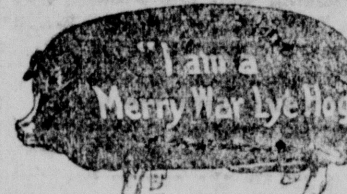
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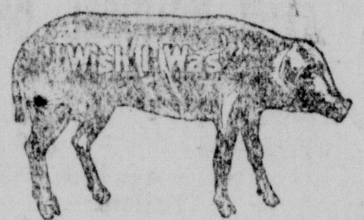


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Ask us about MERRY WAR POWDERED LYE.

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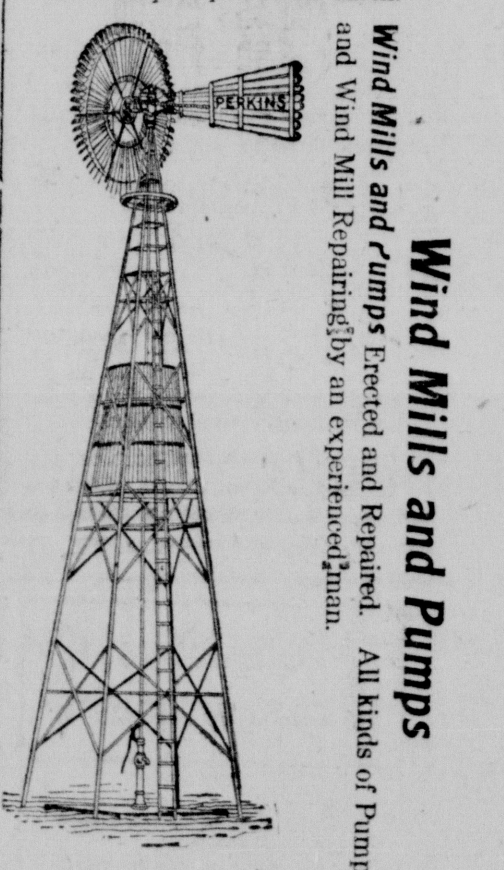
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WANTED

WANTED. Poultry of all kinds. Highest market price paid. Enquire of Leonard Blass, residence, 701 N. Ottawa Ave., Dixon. Home Phone No. 13113. 1 pmo* 209 1m

WANTED. Those employed who are obliged to stand on their feet a great deal to try a box of Healo, a superior foot powder which will give great comfort to the user. Ask your druggist for it. 20 6

WANTED. 2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping by man and wife. Phone 13946. 23 3*

WANTED. Traveling men who are making small towns and crossroad stores to handle our new and up to date pocket side line. Pays a commission of \$4 per order. A winner. For full particulars address G. A. Johnson, 210 Sigel St., Chicago, Ill. 1

WANTED. In the next 90 days, \$9000 worth of rags, rubber and metal. F. E. Scheer, the Junk Man, 81 Madison Ave. Home Phone 879. 20 6

WANTED. First class shoe repairing. All kinds of foot-easers. Polish for white and black shoes. Shoe strings and insoles. H. Beckingham, 103 Hennepin Ave. 80tf

WOMEN—I have a wonderful money maker. If you can give all or part time to a clean, good-paying, permanent business, write BYRNE, West Philadelphia, Pa. 62 36*

WANTED. Our subscribers to get the habit. Look at the little yellow tag on your paper. If it is not up to date, send the Telegraph a check for the amount due. 5tf

WANTED. Boy to learn telegraphy. Call at Western Union Telegraph Office. 14tf

WANTED. Those who are thinking of buying a new automobile to telephone Geo. Burchell, Erie, Ill., who will demonstrate that the Mitchell is one of the best cars on the market. 14

WANTED. A boy to learn the printers trade. Apply at this office. 14

WANTED. Work at cleaning cess pools, closets, etc. Telephone 106. 13 24*

WANTED. Boy to learn printer's trade. Age about 16 years. Inquire at this office.

WANTED. Laundry work at home or will go to your house. Address 916 9th St. 11 12f

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WANTED. Young men and women who are seeking an opportunity to better themselves. Our Home Study course of Bookkeeping and Business Principles will qualify you. Positions secured. Diplomas issued. Easy payments. Easy to master. Write now for catalogue. Brown's Correspondence School. Box 294, Dept. D, Freeport, Illinois. 16tf

WANTED. All our subscribers who get the Telegraph by mail to look at the little yellow tag and if in arrears send us the amount due. 14

WANTED. A wood turner and machine men. Roper Furniture Factory. 24 3

WANTED. You to watch for the Telegraph's dictionary offer. 14

WOMEN—Sell guaranteed hosiery 70 per cent profit; make \$10 daily; full or part time; beginners investigate. STRONG KNIT. Box 4029 West Philadelphia, Pa. 200tf

FOR SALE
FOR SALE. White paper for the picnic supper table, 1c a sheet, at the Telegraph office. 14

FOR SALE. Farm of 147 acres situated one-half mile west of milk factory. Suitable for dairy farm. Enquire of W. D. Drew, 90 Peoria Ave. 85tf

FOR SALE. Land bargains in North Dakota. For particulars address E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 92tf

For Sale or Exchange.
10 acre fruit and poultry farm 1 1/2 miles south of Parkersburg, Ill., on Edwards county line, 80 rods from school and public road, pretty location, land productive and nearly level, 3 room house with closets and cellar, water and pump in house, good well with pump at door; good roomy barn, two hen houses and smoke house. Fruits: 1 1/4 acres strawberries, lots of all kinds of small fruits, 38 cherry trees, some bearing, small orchard, 100 choice bearing grape vines, shade trees at house, farm well fenced and a very nice little home. Will consider a trade for good rental town property in Lee Co. of equal value. Price \$1100; worth more, but wish to spend my days in Lee Co. W. Owner will consider a trade for property in small town in Lee county not to exceed \$800 in value, balance \$300; can be paid any time in 5 or 10 years; do not price your property too high, only honest valuation considered. J. Bittman, West Salem, Ill. R. C. 209 1m

FOR SALE. A well paying grocery and meat market in a particularly live location. Have the best of reasons for selling which will explain to buyer. Will sell at a great sacrifice. Enquire at this office. 20 6

FOR SALE. Cheap, household furniture. Mrs. A. I. Gage, Cor. Madison & Second St. 14

FARMS FOR SALE. I have several good farms for sale. If you want to buy or trade, see me. C. E. Stewart, Countryman Bldg. 23 3

FOR SALE.
For sale or trade, at a bargain, 120 acres, small barn and house, four and one-half miles from market, in Lee County, Ill., would accept half trade. Price for short time only \$75.00 per acre. F. E. STITELEY CO., Dixon, Ill. 223tf

FOR SALE. 1 Big 8 Roll McCormick shredder, all in fine running order. Enquire of Geo. Keister, R. F. D. 6, Dixon, Ill. 23 12

FOR SALE OR RENT. 6 room house on North Court St. Two hard coal stoves, one large Garland heater, one Mohawk. Enquire of G. T. Prescott, Drug Store. 23 3*

FOR SALE. 6 room cottage and barn two blocks from car line, good macadam street, city and elstern water, gas, cement cellar, east front; rents readily at \$8 per month; taxes low, therefore making a good investment. Owner means business and must sell by October 1st. Price \$1000. F. E. Stiteley Co. 23 6

FOR SALE. Brown Leghorn hens, just right for winter layers. Fred Lawton, Phone F 4. 23 3*

Pennington Farm at Auction.
Will sell the Pennington farm, on Pennington road, four miles north of Sterling, Ill., Monday, Sept. 30 at 2 o'clock. Farm consists of 406 acres and will be offered in two separate tracts, and as a whole, and will be struck off to the highest bidder. One tract contains 230 acres, the other 176 acres, both tracts having complete sets of buildings improvements first class, all fenced and cross fenced with woven wire fence. Fine chance to buy first class farms at your own price. Terms reasonable, and made known only on day of sale. Takes little money to handle it. For full particulars call on or write E. J. Pittman, Auctioneer, Sterling, Ill. 24 6

FOR SALE. 5000 ft. second hand iron pipe, practically as good as new. Also lot of second hand window sash. Bargain prices. REYNOLDS WIRE CO. 24 3

FOR SALE. Fine family driving horse; safe for ladies and children to drive; cheap. 1223 W. 7th St. 24 3*

FOR QUICK SALE. 120 acres \$110 per acre on Daysville road, between Dixon and Oregon. Enquire Trein Jewelry Store, Dixon, Ill. 24 6*

FOR RENT
FOR RENT. Soper cottage, corner of West Chamberlain street & Squire avenue; 5 rooms, soft water, furnace heat. Possession Sept. 1. Inquire of owner, 305 West Chamberlain street. Phone No. 861. H. O. Soper. 200tf

FOR RENT. Maxwell house at 410 W. Second St. All modern 8 room house, 2 blocks from business. Enquire of Mrs. S. S. Kaylor, 812 W. First St. 14tf

FOR RENT. At once, between 45 and 50 acres of land 2 1/2 miles west of milk factory. John Scheffler, Route 7, Dixon. Tel. 46111. 15tf

LOST. Gold bar veil pin, black lines and set with pearls. Reward if returned to this office. 23tf

LOST. Nose glasses, yesterday afternoon. It is thought at circus grounds. Were in old case. Finder please leave at this office. 23 3

LOST. Solitaire diamond ring. Finder please telephone 13104 and receive reward. 24tf

TIME TABLE
Dixon, Illinois.
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday.
South Bound.
12:18 Express 11:15 a. m.
12:11 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.
12:11 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.
North Bound.
12:11 F. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.
12:14 Local Mail 5:30 p. m.
12:12 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:
East Bound to Chicago.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
5 8:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
10 6:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.
24 6:28 a. m. 9:05 a. m.
28 7:31 a. m. 10:15 a. m.
8 8:23 a. m. 11:30 a. m.
14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.
20 11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.
18 4:04 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:35 p. m.
10 10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.
WEST BOUND.
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
7 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.
19 7:30 a. m. Sun only 10:43 a. m.
13 9:30 a. m. 12:06 p. m.
19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 4:48 p. m.
27 4:26 p. m. 7:39 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
1 8:39 p. m. 11:07 p. m.
7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
801 Peoria Pass. Lv. Dixon 8:55 a. m. Ar. Peoria 11:53 a. m.
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Sleepers only. Stops only for passengers to Des Moines, Oregon, Utah and beyond.
INTER-URBAN
DIXON, CITY
West Bound East Bound
Read Down Read Up
10:30/50 Assembly Park 20:50/10
13:33/53 Galena & Fellows 27:47 7
17:37/57 Galena & First 23:43 3
20:40/60 Office 20:40/60
30:50/10 Depots 10:30/50
Figures denote min. past the hour.
From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m.
Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.
INTERURBAN SERVICE.
Cars leave both Dixon and Sterling every hour.
First car leaves at 5:50 a. m. and five (5) minutes past each hour thereafter until 11 p. m.

SARD-BARNARD WEDDING
New Yorker Marries Granddaughter of Melville Ingalls.
Hot Springs, Va., Sept. 24.—A wedding of note here was that of Miss Abbie Ingalls Barnard, granddaughter of Melville E. Ingalls, the leading railway executive, and Russell Ellis Sard of Albany, N. Y. The ceremony took place in St. Luke's Episcopal church. Rev. William G. Thayer of Southboro, Mass., officiating. Many guests from Washington, Cincinnati and other cities were present. Mr. Sard and his bride will reside in Albany.

WICKERSHAM TO RESIGN
Attorney General Will Quit Government Work for Private Position.
Washington, Sept. 24.—Attorney General George W. Wickersham will retire from President Taft's cabinet on March 4 next. He will leave his post, whether Mr. Taft is re-elected to the presidency or not.
Mr. Wickersham. It is said, will resign because a number of outside interests require his attention and he does not feel that in justice to himself he should keep the position any longer.

HEALO.
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TO AILING WOMEN
A LITTLE SOUND ADVICE WILL HELP MANY A SUFFERER IN DIXON
No woman should consider herself healthy and well if the kidneys are weak. Poisons that pass off in the secretions when the kidneys are well, are retained in the body when the kidneys are disordered. If the kidneys and bladder become inflamed and swollen worse troubles may quickly follow. This is often the cause of bearing-down pains, lameness, backache, etc. Uric poisoning is also frequent cause of headaches, dizzy spells, languor, nervousness, and rheumatic pains.
When suffering so, try Doan's Kidney Pills, remedy that has proven effective in thousands of such cases. Let a Dixon woman tell of her experience.
Mrs. F. E. Self, 1009 Highland Ave., Dixon, Ill., says: "The use of Doan's Kidney Pills has been very beneficial to me. I am glad to recommend this remedy for kidney trouble and backache."
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Corn 58@61
Eggs 18
Butter 26
Potatoes 45@50
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Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade:
Chicago, Sept. 24, 1912
Wheat
Sept 90 90 1/4 89 3/4 90 1/4
Dec 91 1/4 91 1/4 91 1/4 91 1/4
May 95 1/4 95 1/4 95 1/4 95 1/4
Corn—
Sept 72 72 1/2 71 3/4 72 1/2
Dec 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
May 52 1/2 52 1/2 52 1/2 52 1/2
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Sept 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2
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May 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2
Rye—
Sept 1655 1660 1655 1655
Oct 1355 1655 1662 1657
Lard—
Sept 1105 1105 1105 1105
Oct 1105 1110 1105 1107
Hogs
Sept 1072 1072 1072 1072
Oct 1065 1067 1065 1067
Hogs open steady at yesterday's average.
Left over—5200.
Mixed—785@885.
Good—840@870.
Rough—790@830.
Light—835—850.
Cattle and sheep steady.
Receipts Today—
Hogs—12,000
Sheep—6,000.
Cattle—35,000.
Hogs close steilly.
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WICKERSHAM TO QUIT
REPORTED ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL RETIRE MARCH 4.
Declared He Has Made Known His Intentions to Friends in Washington and New York.
Washington, Sept. 24.—Attorney-General George W. Wickersham will retire from President Taft's cabinet on March 4 next. He will leave his post whether Mr. Taft is re-elected to the presidency or not. This, it became known here, is the statement that Mr. Wickersham has made to friends in Washington and New York and which has been reiterated by Mrs. Wickersham in the capital.
It is understood here that there has been some correspondence between President Taft and Mr. Wickersham on the subject, but that for various reasons Mr. Wickersham has refrained from making any public statement as to his intentions. Officials who know what is going on in the inside say they would not be surprised if Mr. Wickersham would make the announcement that he will leave the cabinet almost any day.
Mr. Wickersham, it is said, will resign because a number of outside interests require his attention and he does not feel that in justice to himself he should keep the position any longer.

CLANSMEN PLEAD NOT GUILTY
Trial of Sidna Allen and Wesley Edwards Is Set for October 28 at Wytheville, Va.
Roanoke, Va., Sept. 24.—Sidna Allen, alleged leader of the Allen clan who shot up Judge Massie's court in Hillsville, killing several persons, last March, and Wesley Edwards, member of the same gang, were returned to Roanoke after arraignment at Hillsville, for safe keeping. The two men, who were arrested in Des Moines, Ia., pleaded not guilty to the charge of killing five persons, and Judge Staples set the trial for October 28 at Wytheville.

Hospital Association in Detroit.
Detroit, Mich., Sept. 24.—The fourteenth annual conference of the American Hospital association opened this morning in the Hotel Pontchartrain with a welcoming speech by Mayor W. B. Thompson. He was followed by the president, Dr. Henry M. Hurd of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, who delivered his annual address.

Samos Battle Still On.
Smyrna, Sept. 24.—Turkish troops and rebels on the island of Samos were still fighting at a late hour last night with the result of the battle undecided. The rebels demand the secession of the island from Turkey and its annexation to Greece.

THE MARKETS.
Grain, Provisions, Etc.
Chicago, Sept. 23.
Wheat—Open High Low Close
Sept. 90 1/4 91 3/4 90 1/4
Dec. 91 1/4 91 1/4 91 1/4 91 1/4
May 95 1/4 95 1/4 95 1/4 95 1/4
Corn—
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Hogs
Sept. 1072 1072 1072 1072
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Hogs open steady at yesterday's average.
Left over—5200.
Mixed—785@885.
Good—840@870.
Rough—790@830.
Light—835—850.
Cattle and sheep steady.
Receipts Today—
Hogs—12,000
Sheep—6,000.
Cattle—35,000.
Hogs close steilly.
Estimated tomorrow—26,000.

NEW YORK, SEPT. 23.
WHEAT—Irregular, inactive trade. No. 1 northern, spring, \$1.01 1/4; No. 2 red, \$1.00 1/2; No. 3 hard, \$1.01 1/4; No. 1 Manitoba, \$1.02 1/4; No. 1 macaroni, 99c; No. 2 yellow, \$1.01 1/4; December, 99c; May, \$1.03 1/4.
CORN—Weaker, trade dull; No. 2 yellow, 80c.
OATS—Strong, fair inquiry; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 3 white, 44c; No. 1 white, 43c; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3 white, 41c; No. 1 white, 40c; No. 2 white, 39c; No. 3 white, 38c.
BARLEY—Easier; malting, new, 60c; 75c.
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Chicago, Sept. 23.
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NO FIELD FOR THEIR WORK
How The Good Young Man From California Set the Card Sharpers Right.
There are good men in California, very good men, and shrewd men, too (according to Eli Perkins). One day a real good young man, who used to teach a Bible class in San Francisco, boarded the Union Pacific train at Ogden. He was going home to Boston as a delegate from California to the Massachusetts Sunday-School association. He was neatly and sweetly dressed, and spent most of his time reading the Christian at Work. After a while he got introduced to a colonel, a professor, and a doctor, who said they lived in Boston, and they invited him to take a quiet game of euchre. During an animated religious conversation, three aces were thrown on his side of the table, after which one of the Bostonians gayly remarked, with the greatest coolness, "I wish that we were playing poker. I don't know that I have been favored with such a hand for years." Our religious young man from San Francisco immediately saw the game of the card sharps, looked up innocently, and remarked: "I have been favored also. I have a pretty good poker hand myself." The three looked at each other significantly. "They call you professor?" asked the young man from San Francisco. "Yes," "And they call you colonel?" "Yes," "You are from the East, I believe?" "Yes, from Boston." "Well, gentlemen," he continued, rising, "you had better take the next train back. We meet it just the other side of the Grand Canon. You can't make a cent at this. They have been teaching it in the Sunday-schools in California for years."

NO MORE SPREES FOR HIM
Changing the Letter on Stenographer's Typewriter Cured Him of the Drink Habit.
In a certain railroad office in the West Bottoms is a stenographer, upon whom his employer places considerable confidence, for he is one of the best in the business. Only one shortcoming has ever been found against him, but this was a grievous one, the kind that was increased 100 per cent when the bi-monthly pay law went into effect. Long and faithful service kept him from being discharged, and his employer was very lenient. From month to month, however, it could be noticed that he was slipping a little more with each payday. Finally one last plan was decided upon to keep him in the service and prevent his falls from the wagon.
During an absence following a pay day a typewriter mechanic was pressed into service, to change the letters on the machine around. The next morning the stenographer reported for work, with evidences of a "hangover." His employer started on him good and early, with a message which was to be rushed.
The stenographer started work. The result was something of an "X-5" affair. Finally he decided "it was no use."
"I guess I have been cutting up a little," he said. "I expect I better take a day off and sober up."
It was agreed thus, and during the day of sobering up, the letters on the machine were set back into place. The plan worked and though the incident occurred six months ago, the stenographer hasn't missed a day.—Kansas City Journal.

Novel Use for Aviation.
Probably Darius Green never had a dream that his flying machine would be used in a scheme to prove to wild hunters in the Philippine islands that they were inferior to white men. This political project, however, was tried by Aviator L. Hammond, who at the request of the governor of the islands, gave to the chief of a tribe of Igorotte hunters his first aerial ascension. The tribesmen were very apprehensive regarding the result, and even the chief himself took his seat in the car with ill-concealed trepidation, but after making a lofty flight over the leper colony and the surrounding country, he was brought back safely to the starting point, fully convinced of the absolute supremacy of the paleface.

Varied Uses of Pearls.
During the palmy days of the Roman empire pearls were greatly esteemed as ornaments by the women of fashion, though after its downfall they were again chiefly used for the decoration of inanimate objects, and it was not until medieval days that they again served the purpose of personal decoration. In England they were not really appreciated for the latter purpose until the fourteenth century. Yet throughout every country and in every country from comparatively early times we see pearls depleted by contemporary artists in such of their works as survive.

His New Job.
A colored shoe shiner at a hotel barber shop here had been after Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, one of his customers, to get him some kind of a government job. He said he had a brother in Pittsburg who held a political job that paid him well. His impression was that his brother made something like \$1,500 a year.
"What does your brother do?" asked Steenerson.
"Don't know just exactly what his duties are," replied the boy, "but he's been appointed what they call a ward healer."

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Her Ambition.

"Poor Harriet Quimby!" said a New York editor, as he regarded a magazine photograph of the dead flying woman. "She used to work for me, and very good stories she wrote, too. When she took to flying and made a success of it, I said to her: 'I suppose, with all this fame, the dearest ambition of your childhood is gratified, eh?' 'No,' she said, smiling, 'I had no desire for fame in my childhood. I remember a school question, 'What is it your highest ambition to be?' The answer I gave to this question was: 'Missionary, and if not that, millinery or clerk in candy store.'"

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Largest Spearhead Found.

The largest spearhead discovered is on exhibition at the state archaeological museum on the campus of the Ohio State university. It is seven and one-quarter inches long and is of white quartzite, says the Columbus Evening Dispatch. The spearhead was found at Fort Ancient, Warren county. More than eight years ago one part of it was dug up and recently a farmer plowed up the other part. The pieces were joined. When the first part was found Curator W. C. Mills of the museum urged that a search be made for the other part.

Indian's Idea of Weight.

An Indian went hunting one day for deer. After tramping through the woods for some hours he came across a herd and managed to kill one. He shouldered it and started for market, which was some five miles away. Now, of course, the longer he walked the heavier the deer got, and by the time he reached the deer market he was about all in. He hung the deer on the scales and stood looking at it with wonder. Finally he said to the man: "Ugh! Let him hang a while." —Mack's National Monthly.

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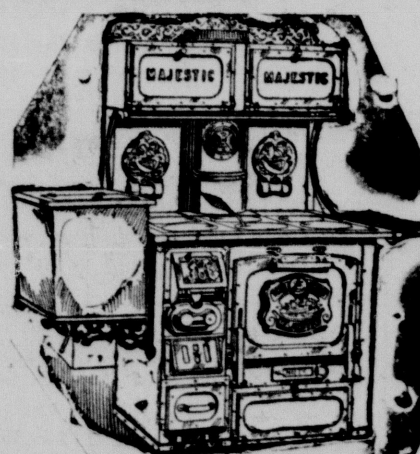
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